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RECORDS OF FORT ST. GEORGE

FORT ST. DAVID CONSULTATIONS 1702

— *JANUARY 1701–2* —

The Consultation Booke and Diary of the Worpll. Jno. Haynes Esqr. Deputy Governor of Fort St. David &ca. Councill. Their Proceedings and Transactions for Affaires of the Rt. Honoble. English East India Company. Comenceing January 5th 1701–2 Ending [*sic*].

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHARD FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

On receipt of a Generall Letter from the Honoble. Presidt. &ca. dated the pro. Inst. the Council mett to consider of the best measures we could think of for buying Paddy for stores they having agreed to the sending one thousand Pagodas to the southward for that use if we think it may be had at a cheaper rate then waiting the coming of it in. After the same was debated, t'was resolved in the Negative for the following reasons, viz: being but low in cash could not conveniently spare so much money not knowing how to be supply'd but by land (no money offering upon bills) wch. was hazardous and could the money be sent can have no assurance of its coming out cheaper than what may be bought here in March and Aprill wch. tho' somewhat dearer yet is better for keeping, and therefore the properest for stores: besides have no convenient Grainarys to lodge it in, wch. if ordered may be built by that time.

The severall Juncanneers between this Place and Madrass being five in all within about a third part of the way expecting their Tashereifs usall at Xmas which are to each three yards of Sarge a Peice of Bettlas and a Turbitt, and nine fanams in money to their Servants, tis agreed the same be given to them as they come for it that they may have no pretence to stop our Peons &ca.

Both setts of Merchants being earnest with us to be Tashareift at Xmas, as usuall, and to denie them what was accustomary might make them dissatisfied twas therefore agreed for encourageing them to bring in as great a quantity of goods as possible for the Bedford, to give them their said Tashareife in Yellow Broad Cloth, having no other in the Godown fitt for it, and it having been always usuall at the same time to Tashareife the Cheife Dubash with three yards of the same as the Merchants receive 'twas agreed that Vincate Kisnah who acts in said employ at Present do receive the same for his encouragement in consideration of the smalliness of his Psy [*sic*] and Chinnapa the Town Conicoply of Cuddalore serving as Chief Conicoply at the sea custome house there without pay from the Company, tis agreed that he be tashariefed with two yards of ditto Cloth as usuall for encourageing his fidelity, which hitherto hath been unstained, and Sonda Brollojee haveing been lately serviceable to our Masters 'twas agreed to present him with five yards of fine Sarge to make him a Coate.

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Eram Rauze & Woode Naique Reddy pays into the Rt. Honoble. Companys cash pags. six hundred ninety four and sixteen fanams being for their first quarters rent of the Bounds ending the ult. September last past. And Mr. Farmer offering Pags. three hundred and fifty on bill of Exchange on the Honoble. President &ca. payable to Mr. William Fraser 'twas agreed to be received and paid him to defray the Generall Expenses conformable to their Leave, for drawing small sums on them for conveniency of trade.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICD. SHINGLE, *Secry.*

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MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHARD FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

Mr. Edm. Mountague Overseer of the Revenue of Tobacco, Beetle and Ganjee at Cuddalore brot. in and read his acct. of the same for last month amounting to Pags. ninty six thirteen fanams and three cash clear of charges paid by him and the paymaster wanting money to carry on his business tis agreed and ordered that the same be paid him for Do. use.

Doctor Royer sent in his accot. of expences for the Physick Roome for the month of [*lacuna*] amounting to pags. four and twenty two fanams which the paymaster is ordered to discharge.

There being lately arrived from Court a new Harcora who is a kinde of an Inquisitor into all affaires of this Province he sent his servants into these parts to get what he could and in his Circute comeing to this Place twas agreed to give him five yards of fine Sarge that his master might not think we wholy slighted his servant which would make him invent some Lyes of us.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHARD FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICHD. SHINGLE, *Secry.*

12TH. Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. Council of Fort St. George adviseing of two bills of Exchange drawn on them each for five thousand Pagodas granted to the two setts of Merchants.

15TH. This day came in here an Armenian Brigantine from Atcheen.

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MONDAY THE 19TH.

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHARD FARMER MR. TREVOR GAMES.

Mr. Ralph Ingram Warehousekeeper brot. in and read his accot. of the Warehouse for last month and as sea and Land Customer of Tevenapatam brot. in and read his accot. Customes thereof for Do. month perticulars vizt.:

	Pa.	fa.	ca.
To Land Customes	3	20	4
To Rents & Revenues for Juncan 13. 17. 3. Servants wages paid by him deducted 5. 2.	8	15	3
	12	—	1

And pays into cash on accot. goods sold out of the Warehouse pags. three hundred sixty one and accot. his collections of Customes at Tevenapatam pags. 12 and one cash. Manll. Gonsalvis &ca. Tobacco and Betle Farmers for last year paid in accot. arrears due from them pags. ninty which with the pags. three hundred sixty one and pags. twelve and one cash paid in by Mr. Ingram makeing the sume of pags. four hundred sixty three and one cash is agreed to be paid the paymaster for defraying Generall Expenses.

Mr. Richard Farmer as Collector of the Revenue of Tobacco, Betle and Ganjee for Tevenapatam brot. in and read his accot. of the same for the months of November and December and pays in on that accot. pags. eighty three twenty nine fanams and three cash which is continued in his hands towards defraying the disbursements of his employ of Paymaster, he also brot. in and read his Storekeepers accots. for the months of August and September, as likewise his paymasters accot. for Do. months and October, particulars vizt:

		Pag.	fan.	ca.
Augst.	To charges Garrison as pr. accot. particulars ..	774	23	—
	Peons and Servants Wages	498	32	—
	Charges Genell.	119	24	5
	Charges Extraordinary	42	—	5
	Charges Merchandise	20	30	—
	Charges Building	71	35	1
	Charges Generall at Cuddalore	42	6	3
	Charges Extraordinary	6	27	—
	Charges building Do.	183	12	—
		1760	11	5 [*sic*]
	Charges Dyet	93	29	1
	Pagos.	1854	4	—

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To charges Garrison as pr. accot. prticulars	743	11	—	
Peons and Servants Wages	380	3	3	
Charges Generall	59	30	3	
Charges Extraordinary	14	35	3	
Genll. Stores	88	6	5	
Charges Merchandize	14	7	4	
Charges Building	63	10	5	
Charges Generall at Cuddalore	28	7	—	
Charges Building at Cuddalore	133	29	—	
	1525	34	4	[*sic*]
Charges Dyett	79	27	4	
Pags.	1605	26	2	

To charges Garrison as pr. accot. prticulars	744	17	—	
Peons and Servants Wages	360	7	—	
Charges Genll.	66	6	4	
Charges Extraordinary	4	7	—	
Charges Merchandize	14	25	4	
Charges Building	65	3	2	
Charges Genll. at Cuddalore	35	25	5	
Charges Building D°.	112	6	2	
	1399	23	5	[*sic*]
Charges Dyett	68	28	3	
Pags.	1468	15	3	[*sic*]

Sergt. de Bang having a great family and not able maintain them on his bare pay, and being sober, trusty and faithfull in his Duty, is on his humble Request for his encouragement permitted to make a voyage to Collumbo and return to his Duty again in three months but to receive no pay whilst absent.

Mr. Bulteel being ordered Scavenger of Tevenapatam by the Honoble. President &ca. in August last past and having made provision of carts Buffoloes &ca. for the same as also taken a list of all the houses in Towne under their Number of Gradation as formerly done at Cuddalore amounting to one thousand one hundred and five houses of all sorts including hutches did this day send the same in to us when at Consultation which being considered of twas agreed that he might Collect and receive at present the income thereof (as twas done at Cuddalore) and to collect for the first quarter from the Pro. October last past.

The cheife Gunner representing that there was about ten candy of Country Gunpowder which having been long made was decay'd in strength by keeping twas agreed and ordered that the same be delivered out to be new made with an addition of saltpetre.

Jno. Johnson one of the Gunmen Crew on his Request is discharged the Companys service and Jacob Peeterson another of ditto Crew having not behaved himself well is ordered to be turned out of the service and the Companys Bounds.

A considerable number of Weavers lately comeing into the Bounds requesting a Place to settle a Town by themselves and having pitched upon one to the Southward of Cuddalore without Porto Novo Gate being high sandy Ground and fitt for nothing elce, twas agreed to permit them to build their town there; and that our cheife Bricklayer line out the streets thereof regularly, so as our guns from the town may clear the same; and that no house be built nearer the town

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wall than one hundred and fifty yards, and that they have all necessary encouragement conformable to the Company's orders since they may be in a little time a great conveniency and advantage to the Place.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHARD FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICHARD SKINGLE, *Secry.*

20TH. This day passed by here ship Ruby Captain Stillgrove commander from Fort St. George bound to Trincombar and from thence to the Malldevias.

D°. Granted a pass to Jacob De Bang for his boat pags. 1 : 18.

23D. Granted a pass to Thos. Tape for his Boate pa. 1 : 18.

MONDAY 26TH. ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHARD FARMER MR. TREVOR GAMES.

The Deputy Governor brot. in and read his accot. of the Rt. Honoble. Companys Cash in his Possession for this month of November and December the ballance of November being pags. six thousand seven hundred twenty nine thirty two fanams and four cash and the ballance of December pags. six thousand two hundred twenty five twenty six fanams and three cash the Latter of which being as entred after this months Consultations.

Mr. Mountague Sea Customer of Cuddalore brot. in and read his Sea Customers accots. current for the months of October and November viz.

		Pa.	fa.	ca.	
Novr.	To importations this month	227	11	5	
	Exportations	2	19	2	
	Anchorage	9	18	—	
		239	13	1	
	Wages to be deducted	3	27	—	
		235	22	1	
	Revenues on Tobacco Betle and Ganjee	241	7	1	
	Pags.	449	29	2	[*sic*]
Octr.	To Importations this month	486	22	4	
	Exportations	18	31	—	
	Anchorage	39	18	—	
		544	35	4	
	Wages to be deducted	3	27	—	
		541	8	4	
	Revenues on Tobacco Betle and Ganjee	159	26	2	
	Pags.	700	34	—	[*sic*]

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Saneroja Puntulo formerly an Eminent Marratto, who in his flourishing Condition had been serviceable to the Company in the Business of the Interlopers &c^{a}. and being now fallen much to decay and being very Importunate wth. us for a subsistence twas agreed in Consideration of his former services and that he may be still able to serve them on any occasion, to enter him amoungst the Peons at one pagoda per mensem which with as much allow'd him by the Merchants and something from other charitable People will afford him a bare maintenance.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHARD FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICHARD SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}.*

Dr. THE Rt. Honoble. Compa. CASH

			Pag.	fa.	ca.
Decembr. 1st.	To	ballance brought from Last months Accot.	6729	32	4
2	To	Accot. Currt. Fort St. George accounted for wth. Viabo Chitte &ca old merchants for wch. gave a bill of Exchange on ye. Honoble. Presidt. &ca payable to Ama Chellum at six days sight	4000	—	—
	To	Eram Rause &ca new merchants as above to Mooto Langa Chittee ..	4000	—	—
8	To	Manll. Cordera &ca Arrack distillers recd on that Accot.	141	24	—
	To	Ralph Ingram accot. goods sold out of the warehouse	226	28	—
9	To	D°. Sea & Land Customes at Tevenapatam on that accot.	12	9	—
	To	Accot. Currt. for St. George recd. of Mr. Robt. Berry for wch. passed a bill of Exchange on ye. Honoble. Presidt. &ca payable at 6 days sight to himself for	200	—	—
15th.	To	D°. accounted for wth. Eram Rause &ca New Merchts. payable at d°. time to Chola Chitte for	5000	—	—
22	To	Edm. Mountague Sea Customer of Cuddalore on yt. Accot.	650	—	—
22	To	D°. accot. the Revenues of Tobacco Betle & Ganjee at D°.	214	7	1
		Pags. ..	21174	29	3[*sic*]

Per Contra Cr.

			Pag.	fa.	cas.
	By	Arabo Chitte &ca old Merchts. pd. ye. ballance of their old contract	109	29	—
	By	d°. pd. by Bill as pr. contra provision of goods	4000	—	—
	By	Eram Rause &ca new Merchts. pd. ye. ballance of their old Contract	9	13	1
	By	D°. pd. by Bill as pr. Contra Accot. provision of goods	4000	—	—
8	By	Richd. Farmer paymastr. to defray Genell. Expenses	380	25	4
15	By	Andee &ca Washers pd. them accot. whiting goods	202	—	—
	By	Eram Rause &ca new Merchts. pd. by bill as pr. Contra	5000	—	—
22	By	Richd. Farmer Paymastr. to defray Generall Expenses	864	7	1
23	By	Andee &ca Washers pd. accot. Cureing Cloth	183	—	—
31	By	Richd. Farmer paymastr. Accot. Genell. Charges	200	—	—
			14949	3	—
	By	Ballance carried to next month ..	6225	26	3
		Pags.	21174	29	3

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2D. Received a Generall Letter from the Hono^ble. President &c^a. Councill of Fort St. George dated the 27th past month.

FRIDAY THE 2D.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORP^LL. JN^O. HAYNES ESQ^R. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHARD FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

The Deputy Governor reports that on the 31st past month he received of Mr. Mountague acco^t. his Collections of Customes of Cuddalore Pag^s. five hundred also of Man^ll. Gonsalvis &c^a. Pag^s. two hundred acco^t. their arrears of rent of the Bounds for last year.

Gungaram Governor of Waldore son of Surrup Sing Governor of Chingee being suddenly to be married of which he wrote to the Deputy Governor adviseing the same and it being accustomary for all friends Relations and dependants to send presents on such occasions and the neglect thereof is esteemed an affront and we being comprehended amongst the number of his friends there being at present a good understanding between us Cannot at present without disobleidging him (which may be of ill consequence to our Masters Affaires) avoid presenting him at this time. Which being considered of 'twas agreed and ordered that the following things with the usuall Compliment be sent him by our Egibb viz:

	Pag.	fa.	ca.
3 yd^s. Scarlet cloth	9	—	—
3 yd^s. D^o. Yellow	6	—	—
One p^s. Rich China Silke	9	—	—
Rose watt^r. 6 bottles	3	—	—
Pags. ..	27	—	—

Which with the charges of our Egibb will in all stand in about thirty pag^s. wherein have been as frugall as possible considering the quallity of the person sent to, the occasion of sending and the necessity of continueing a faire correspondence and right understanding with him.

The Cooper of this place being lately dead and it being absolutely necessary to have one belonging to the Garrison, and James Walker late Cooper of the Advice Frigatt being here who we understand is a sober man, and well understands his business, 'twas therefore thought necessary to entertain him in the Gunroome Crew, at the same pay of the late Cooper, he refuseing to serve under and being rather desireous of going to Madrass.

Jn^o. Gardner haveing served sometime in the Gunroome and being an artist in Navigation hath since his comeing hither applied himself to the study of Gunnery and is now, as our Chiefe Gunner reports, well versed therein as also a sober man and we wanting such a person for Cuddalore, twas agreed being thought absolutely necessary to entertain him as Gunners mate there and to allow him at present four pag^s. per month with a promise to prefer him higher if any vacancy happned, which he is satisfied with in hopes of better preferment as it falls, tho' he could have much better pay to go mate of a ship which he is capable of.

Jn^o. Dring a soldier designed for the West Coast, and three saylors that belonged to the Advice Frygate, the first desireing leave to go to Madrass and the latter to be cleared of the service, their request is granted.

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Ordered that Venapa the Marratto Braminy be allowed what usuall for makeing the Outcry of the Bounds &c^{a}. which is three yards of Perpetuanoes.

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TREVOR GAMES.

RICHARD SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}.*

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Present

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEPUTY GOVERNOR. — WEDNESDAY THE 4TH.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHARD FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

Yesterday noon arrived here the Sarum in Tevenapatam Road, and the Master came ashore in the Evening and bro^{t}. a Generall Letter dated the 28th past month, on opening said letter the Warehousekeeper was ordered to lade what bales he could in the morning by the Tevenapatam boats none being to be had at Cuddalore that day, and to send his orders to the Master of said ship, to receive the Companys bales on board. Also the Paymaster is ordered to place Tappies on the Road betwixt this and Fort St. George, as usuall conformable to the orders of the said Generall Letter.

Being mett in Councill the Warehousekeeper reports that he sent off all the boates procureable in Tevenapatam being seaven: on each of which he sent six Bales, which makes forty two, and that he had sent his order to the master of the ship to receive them.

And the Paymaster reports that he dispatched the Tappies as ordered: and tis agreed to continue to lade the ship with all possible expedition.

The Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. haveing ordered us to buy up fifty Gearse of Paddy for that Garrison of the best sort for keeping the Country a store, and that bro^{t}. in by Land to Cuddalore being the best procureable here for keeping, the Land Customer is to take perticular acco^{t}. dayly of the prizes and quantity bro^{t}. in, that so soon as considerable quantities come in he advise thereof that he may receive money to buy it for the occasion above mentioned.

Receiveing advices in our forementioned Generall Letter of Dow'd Cawns being within three or four Gentue Leagues of Madrass and that he is suddenly expected at St. Thoma and it being not known upon what occasion or whether he may stay or come further this way, and the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. being apprehensive of troubles order our putting the Garrison into the best posture of defence. Wherefore tis agreed and ordered that the Poynt and Gate called Chingee be finished with all possible expedition and that the Mudd wall and Pallasadoes be viewed by the Commission Officers and cheife Gunner that upon their report they may be repaired where there is occasion.

And the Storekeeper is ordered to deliver out more saltpetre for makeing of Gunpowder, as fast as the Powder Makers can worke it up, and that the Commission Officers Cheife Gunners and Gentlemen of Arms be ordered to be vigilent and carefull in their respective employs, and that all things be in a readyness under their respective Charges.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
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RICHARD SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}.*

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5TH. Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of Fort St. George.

6TH. Dispatch'd ship Sarum Capt. Christopher Dixon Commander with a Generall Letter and Bill of Ladeing enclosed, Mr. Bawgus took his passage upon her.

7TH. This morning ship Sarum sett sayle for Madrass.

8TH. Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. with Invoice of what laden on ship Sarum.

10TH. Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. by Cattamaran with coppies of what sent before supposeing them to be intercepted by Dow'd Cawn.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

TUESDAY 10TH. THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHARD FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

Receiveing after 12 Last night a GenII. Letter from Fort St. George wherein we understand that Dow'd Cawn, by order of the King (as per enclosed Translate of a Husball Hookham from Assed Cawn) has besett Madrass stoping all commerce haveing seized some of their goods & Plundered some of their out Towns threatening to attack their workes, from whence it is Reasonable for us to Conclude that if he be disapointed of doing farther Mischeif there, as we hope and believe he will, that he'll endeavour to Revenge himselfe on this Place. Therefore tis ordered that we put ourselves into the best Posture of defence as soone as we can, according to the Result of last consultation, in order whereto, tis further ordered that all bricks belonging to whatsoever Persons which are ready burnt be taken for the Compas. use to finish as soone as may be the new Battry and Gate called Chingee, and that the Carpenter go about makeing the Gate for the same, and that as many Topass soldiers that are Likely men be entertained as offer themselves, and that one hundred Stout Peons as our occasions may require be also Listed.

10TH. In the late Deputy Governor Mr. Frasers time, four morters were ordered to be made, two for the Fort and two for Cuddalore for the shells we had in this Garrison as per Consultation of [*lacuna*] two of which were made but the other two for want of Copper could not be then done but Lately some arriveing from Madrass tis agreed that about two Candy of said Copper be bought, and that the other two Mortars be forthwith Cast for the better defence of Cuddalore against any attempts that may be made by Dow'd Cawn.

And whereas the last year severall of the Councill were appointed to Command the severall Points, which we think not so convenient as that any of the Councill in Cuddalore may repaire to such Places where there may be most occasion for them, and the Councill at present consisting but of four besides the Deputy Governor, two whereof (viz. Messrs. Ingram & Farmer their Residence being in the Fort, and the other two Messrs. Mountague and Games at Cuddalore), tis agreed that they who reside at the Fort use all due care for security thereof and the Town of Tevenapatam and those at Cuddalore to do the Like there and the Deputy Governor will be in a constant Readiness to give his assistance where he shall still find most occasion, but supposeing that Cuddalore will be the Place most likely to be first attackt tis thought requisit that he reside there till ocasion oblidges him Elce where.

In pursuance to the forementioned order we have entertained the following Persons in the Military, viz., Bastian Rinento de Saw, Jno. Peterson, Martin

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Yacob, at Europeans pay for the term of two years, Jeromino de Mount, Francisco de Silva, Joas de Soza, Miguell Perera, Anto. de Soza, Luis de Mandra, Gabriell de Rosana, at Topass soldiers pay.

JNO. HAYNES.
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MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

THURSDAY 12TH.

The Commission Officers of Cuddalore being sent for are ordered with the Commission Officers and Cheife Gunner of this Place to view the Town of Tevenapatam the Round Point and Block House and to report what they think necessary to be done for the better security thereof against any assault of an Enemie, and not knowing how soone we may be besett by the Moores tis agreed and ordered that what provisions of Hoggs, Cows, &c^{a}. can be gott be brought in as soone as possible and that Mr. Farmer oversee the Buying of provisions that are to be had about the Fort, and the Deputy Governor will take care of the same at Cuddalore, and this being the time of fishing in our Rivers, ordered that all the fish be bought and salted for stores for the Company which Mr. Farmer is also to oversee, as also to the getting in what firewood procureable, and tis further agreed and ordered to buy up what Paddy is brought into Cuddalore and Tevenapatam.

Severall Topasses offering themselves it was agreed to entertain them, who are as follows, viz.: Anto. de Mount, Abraham de Silva, Francisco Gomis, Anto. de Mount, Anto. de Soza, Abraham de Rozaria, Man^{ll}. de Mount, De Minga de Costa, De Mingo de Alvis, Francisco Cordera, all entertained at the usuall pay of Topasses.

Mr. Games Land Customer of Cuddalore, pays into the R^{t}. Hono^{ble}. Comp^{as}. Cash on that acc^{t}. Pagodas two hundred eighty six nine fanams and four Cash.

12TH. Simon Brand being sent downe by the R^{t}. Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. as Doctors Mate of this Place, to Remain at Cuddalore at the usual pay which is four pag^{s}. per mensem and his Dyett at the Gene^{ll}. Table, and there being now no Generall Table, tis agreed to give him two pag^{s}. per mo. for his Dyett which will be in all six pag^{s}. per month.

Eram Rauze &c^{a}. new Merch^{ts}. Represent that they bo^{t}. of some perticular Merch^{ts}. of Cuddalore a parcell of Cloth, which being brought in by them and sorted acc^{t}. their last Contract, which said Cloth being entered at the Choultry and haveing paid the Land Custome there, with other Cloth that belonged to the Merch^{ts}. that brought it in Eram Rauze &c^{a}. desireing the custome of said cloth may be returned them, being to be charged in their Gene^{ll}. acco^{t}. Customes for the Investment, which being considered of, the Customer is ordered to repay said amount of customes because they must allow for the same on adjusting their acco^{ts}. of the Investment as abovesaid.

The commission officers and Cheife Gunner haveing been to view the Town of Tevenapatam delivered in their report in Writeing, which is as coppied after this consultation. What mentioned therein relateing to the mending the Ditch, and the Wall, the Paymaster is ordered to take care of if feizable, and that the Guardes there be supplyed with more men on the first occasion.

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Francisco Correa haveing given a Petition to the Deputy Governor and Councill that Jno. Swares de Almeda is indebted to him and his brother Jno. Correa the summ of eight hundred and eighty Pag^{s}. Principle, besides Interest, for w^{ch}. he produced coppie of an obligation under Jno. Swares his hand, signed by the Padre, and desires that a house and Garden in Cuddalore belonging to said Jno. Swares be attached for security of said money which we think but reasonable, therefore the Justices on further proofe of the bond after fifteen days notice given him said Jno. Swares and he not appeareing to answer said demand, that then said house be sold or otherwise disposed of for the use of said Francisco Correa and his brother.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREV^{R}. GAMES.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}.*

12TH. This evening between the houres of six and seaven of the Clock appeared a Large Commett in the West Pointing to the East.

14TH. Dispatcht a Generall Lett^{r}. to the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. Council of Fort St. George.

Worp^{ll}. S^{r}. &c^{a}.

According to your order we have been round Tevenapatam and viewed it and our opinions are herewith written.

Wee went by the Trench viewed it and found it to be foull, and think it convenient to be made deeper, it being for the better security of the Town, for if the Enemie sh^{d}. attempt to enter the Town in the night they might come in the Trench being very shallow. We likewise think there ought to be a necessary number of Peons at the Blockhouse to give advice of the Enemies approach, not thinking it convenient to keep soldiers there, considering the smallness of our number being at so great a Distance, and we think there ought to be thirty men at the Round Redoubt, and thirty at the Gate and the Brest work from the southward to the Northward ought to be repaired. There are some of us of opinion that the hedg along Tevenapatam should be cutt to breast height, but desire your Worship &c^{a}. would first view it. We are

Your Worships &c^{a}.
Most Obedient Servants.
JAMES HUGONIN.
JAMES DAVIS.
ROB^{T}. REAY.
HEN^{RY}. KERR.
MICHELL SMITH.
WILL^{M}. WATHEN.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

MUNDAY 16TH.

THE WORP^{LL}. JNO. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

The Commission officers of the Fort of Cuddalore haveing viewed the Town of Cuddalore gave in a paper of what necessary to be done for the better security of the Town, which we approveing tis ordered that the same be put in execution

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as far as time and opportunity will permitt, but that the most Matteriall things be done first, as the Gate and point called Chingee, a coppie of which paper is as entered after this consultation.

Some of the Compas. servants being not yett ordered to any particular place for defence thereof are quartered as follows, Mr. Cranwell to be in the Fort with Mr. Ingram and Mr. Farmer.

Mr. Bullteel to command the Round Point on the sand hill by Tevenapatam. 16TH.

Richd. Skingle to be in the Fort in order to writeing any occurrences that may happen.

Mr. Nellthorpe to attend the Deputy Governor on said occasion.

Capt. Davis is appointed to Look after the Town of Tevenapatam and two commission officers to remain in the Fort on any occasion.

The Engineer Capt. Worlinghoof offering his service upon Chellumbrum Point tis agreed that he have charge of the same.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

Arrived here from Madrass Bedford Sloop Thos. Plaster commander and brot. a Genll. Lettr. from the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of that Place dated the 3d inst. 17TH.

Arrived here from Junckselone Brigantin Mary & Elizabeth Thos. Morrice Master. 18TH.

This day Willm. Emmitt son of Thos. Emmitt Gunner of Cuddalore departed this Life and was buried the 19th inst. Do.

Arrived here from Junckselone ship Resolution Capt. Willm. Ridgly commander bound for Madrass. 19TH.

This day dispatched the Bedford with a Genll. Lettr. to Honoble. President &ca. Councill of Fort St. George and papers &ca. Do.

Arrived here ship Sarum from Madrass and brot. a Genll. Lettr. from the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of that Place dated the 12th inst. 21ST.

THE REPORTE GIVEN IN BY THE COMMISSION OFFICERS CONCERNING THE FORTIFIEING OF CUDDALORE.

WORPLL. SR. &CA.

According to your order we have been round Cuddalore and think it convenient the Pallisadoes be carried on to the Round Redoubt and that there be a brestwork thrown up from the Round Redoubt to the Butt or thereabout the river being very shallow, not but that it would be better with Pallmeroes but as we beleive they are not to be had think it the next best defence.

And that the Pallmeroes nigh Porto Novo Point be further carried into the river and there by Guns upon the Point at Chellumbrum Gate with Galions likewise the mud Redoubt ought to be enlarged the Guns being of no use at present being so pent up.

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And that if there be any thought of troubles the soldiers and stores belonging to the factory be removed to his Worships house, it Lying higher, that we can better perceive the Motions of the Enimye and have a better communication with the Fort. We are

YOUR WORP^{S}. &C^{A}.

Most humble & obedient servants

JAMES HUGONIN.
JAMES DAVIS.
ROB^{T}. REAY.
HEN^{RY}. KERR.
SAM^{LL}. WILLIAMS.
MIKELL SMITH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

MONDAY THE 23D.

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

Simond Bradley one of the Gunroome Crew formerly belonging to the Advice Frygatt being very importunat[e] for his discharge, ordered that it be granted being deafe and therefore of but little use. Jn^{o}. Craven haveing for some time served as Corporall and haveing behaved himselfe well there in and a serjeant being wanted tis agreed to confer the Halbert upon him. There being about 20 Gerss [*sic*] of Paddy to be had in Town newly come from the southward which being esteemed good for keeping and there being two sorts of it, tis agreed that the same be bought the best at 16 pag^{s}. per Gorss [*sic*] and the other at fifteen which is rather less then the markett price at present and that the Measureing Duty Conicoplys do keep an acco^{t}. thereof and give the same to the Storekeeper, and Admud Mercon haveing a ship gon to the southward to bring Paddy tis agreed to take the same if as good, and whereas the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. ordered the stores we buy for ourselves to be kept in the Fort but there being no tollerable conveniency it cannot be done as we advised them.

Mr. Mountague reports that on th 19th inst. he paid the Paymasters Conicoply Pag^{s}. one hundred seaventy five and eleven fanams acco^{t}. the Revenues of Tobacco and Betle which was wanted to defray Generall Expences.

There being six Pallankeen boys who offer their service, and since there will be occasion for them, in this time of trouble, because many of the Macquas and Cooleys have left the Place, tis agreed they be entertained for the service of Carrying Bales or any other occasion that may require their helpe.

There being a parcell of Gunneys offered to sale at eight Pag^{s}. per hundred peices, and since we may have occasion for them before we can be otherwise supply'd tis ordered they be bought.

In conformity to an order of Consultation of the 10th inst. a hundred Peons have since then been taken into service but could not be bro^{t}. to lower wages than fifteen great fanams per Mensem which at this juncture we think necessary to allow because cannot otherwise be supply'd and since we are assured of troubles from the Moores and considering the large extent of the Hono^{ble}. Comp^{as}. Grounds tis thought requisit that a hundred more good Peons be entertained if procurable.

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Ordered that our Peons that are Gunmen (who are the major part) be furnished with powder and ball, to be ready on occasion.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR. WEDNESDAY 25TH.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

On notice of Abdull Lebbys being ordered against this Place, wch. we Recd. the 15th Inst. from him, we have thot. it absolutely necessary for secureity of Cloth at the washers to bring it all into Town, since when no Cloth has been washed, many of our Cooly washers being run away, and there being Considerable quantity of fine goods in the Merchants hands which cannot be Packed brown, and the Enemie still near us, tho'as yet offering no Mollestation, tis thot. we may adventure small quantitys of goods to be washed at the washing Place, near Tevenapatam with a strong guard of soldiers and Peons, wherefore tis agreed that about twenty soldiers and as many Peons be sent thither as a guard for security of the Cloth wch. upon notis [e] of the Enemies aproach, is to be brought away by the servants belonging to the Fort and such other Cooleys as can be found, and whereas the Honble. Resident &ca. in their Genll. Letter of the 20th Inst. Recd. yesterday do order the sending up what Bales the ship and sloop last here could not take in, they supposeing they shod. so fill up the Bedford, and tho' at present we have not above sixty Bales Packed up, yet there being a considerable quantity of Longcloth and Sallumpores ordinary in the Merchants hands, tis agreed and ordered that they be forthwith Pack't up brown and dispatched to Madrass by open Boats if no better conveniency offers in Conformity to their orders.

Wanting more hands for the manageing our great Guns wch. are many upon our Points and Bastions, tis agreed to take in to the number of twenty more Lascars for said service, since if we come to action we shall have great occasion for them.

The warehousekeeper reporting that he has laden on board the Sarum four hundred fifty nine bales wch. is as many as she can take in, Tis agreed that as soone as the Invoice can be finished that she be despatched, there being no convenience of sending it by land.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

Dispatch'd ship Sarum for Fort St. George and a Genll. Letter, Papers, &ca. dated this present Inst. 26TH.

Ship Sarum sett saile for Madrass. 27TH.

Ship Resolution sett saile for Madrass. Do.

A Venetian belonging to the Gunroome was drown'd and buried the 28th Inst. Do.

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MARCH 1. Dispatch's a Gen^{ll}. Letter to the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. Councill of Fort St. George dated the present Inst. with a Gen^{ll}. Letter from Trincombar and another from Negapatam.

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Present

MUNDAY MARCH 2D.

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

Mr. Ingram warehousekeeper bro^{t}. in and read his acco^{t}. of Sea and Land Customes for Tevenapatam for the month of January, and reports that he paid in on the 27th Inst. Pag^{s}. twenty five, five fanams and three Cash to the Paymaster, he also read his warehousekeepers acco^{ts}. for d^{o}. month and reports to have paid in thereon Pag^{s}. three hundred ninety two to the Paymaster, both which sums are acknowledged to be rec^{d}. by the Paymaster towards defraying the last months expences. There being in stores lately come from Madrass five Leagurs of Batavia Arrack and the Councill and other of the Comp^{as}. Servants, that have had no Liquor for a considerable time of the Comp^{as}. and none better being procureable, agreed that about a Leagure be sheared out to them who receive dyett money in proportion to their dyett money. Pedro de Rozario offering his service is entertained as a Topass at usuall pay. There being some preserved Cloves and Nuttmegs offering for sale, w^{ch}. are acceptable presents to the Moors, tis agreed to buy for said use one case qt. fifteen case bottles of Cloves at twenty pag^{s}. and one Jar of Nuttmegs qt. five hundred at four pag^{s}. per hundred.

Mr. Mountague read his acco^{t}. Betle and Tobacco for Cuddalore for the month of January amountng to pag^{s}. one hundred seaventy five and eleven fanams w^{ch}. was paid the Paymaster last month as per Consultation of the 23d D^{o}. month.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREV^{R}. GAMES.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{cy}*.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

FRYDAY THE 6TH.

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

The Bedford sloop arriveing here about noon the Master came on shore soon after and brought with him a Gen^{ll}. Letter from the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. on receipt whereof the Council were summon'd and meeting in the Evening twas agreed to send for the Treasure and other things on board and to load her with Bales with all convenient speed.

The following Topass soldiers offering their service are entertained at the usual pay Nich^{o}. De Grace, Passquall St. Iago, Joan, Perrera, Andrew De Silva, Francisco Lopes, Francisco Martine.

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The Chingee Battrey being so far finished as that Guns may be mounted thereon and we wanting five carriages for the Guns designed there, and having a sufficient number of Guns in the Fort, of which five can be well spared tis agreed that said number be dismounted and the Carriages of them be brought downe to mount the Guns wanting on this aforesaid Point and that the Carriages new making supply the Place of those taken from the Fort. on 6TH.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry*.

Arrived here the Bedford Sloop from Fort St. George and brot. a Generell Lettr. from the Honoble. President &ca. dated [*sic*]. 6TH.

Hans Groswell a soldier in this Garrison departed this life and was buried the present Inst. Do.

Recd. a Generall Lettr. from the Honoble. President &ca. 7TH.

Dispatched the Bedford Sloop with a Generall Lettr. to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of Fort St. George. 9TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR. MONDAY THE 9TH
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

Antoni Perrea a Topass Soldr. is entertained at usuall pay offering his service.

On Receipt of a Generall from Madrass last night the Councill mett this day to consider what necessary to be done about what advised in said Genell. relateing to Thos. Tape and other English men that went hence in a small Boat designed on a Voyage to Collumbo to buy Arrack who are said to be coasting to and fro about Collerroon and tho' we believe it may be a false Rumor, however, on orders from Madrass twas thot. convenient to write a Genell. to the Governor and Councill of Trincombar to desire them to seize on said Tape if he came to their Place and to advise us if they heard anything about him that we may take measures accordingly for his apprehention [*sic*] and also that the Deputy Govr. write to the same Effect to Abdull Lebby.

Mockdum Nina haveing a new Vessell lately Built, wch. is gon[e] over the Barr Yesterday tis agreed that the Warehousekeeper lade such Bales on board her as she can take in when he has advice she is ready to receive them.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry*.

Arrived here the Mary Smack from Madrass Capt. Addams Comr. 10TH.

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TWESDAY THE 10TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGU
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

Capt. Willm. Addams Comandr. of the Mary Smack arriveing here 7 per this morning and comeing ashore brot. no Lettrs. with him but shewing his Instructions to the the [*sic*] Deputy Governor wch. ordering to go in search of a Pyrate Boat wch. is reported to be Cruising about on the Coast the Councill were summoned and tho' we do not believe nor have heard any such thing lately, yett in consideration that the no.wardly winds doe now blow we think it may not be amis to forward said Smack as far as Trincombar with our Letters to the Governor of that Place and Negapatam, since with the Southwardly winds, wch. are daily expected to sett in, she may return at Pleasure, and that the Master have fifty Pags. delivered him to buy provisions at Trincombar for Madrass, but that if he shall be informed of any such Pirate in the way that then he shall follow his orders and Instructions recd. from the Honoble. President &ca. relateing thereto.

The occasion of the Report of such a Pirate proseeds [*sic*] from one Thos. Tape with two more English men goeing hence in a small open Boat to Collumbo for Arrack wch. Boat was said to be seen by some People belonging to a Sloop of Mockdum Ninas. Some time after she went hence, but have heard nothing of her ever since by any other way, the aforesaid being advised of to Thos. Ovaldar of Porto Novo, he writes about it to the Governor of Trincombar with severall additions: as that said Boat pursued Mockdum Ninas sloop, and that they had in their Crew twelve men of those lately belonging to the Advice Frygatt and that the Vessells and Boats are afraid to go and come upon the Coast &ca. and we understand that said report is much enlarged at Fort St. George and that she chased severall Vessells into the Road wch. tho' altogether false as well as the foregoing, yett it has occasioned the Honoble. President &ca. to send this Smack in search of her, and since she is designed as far So.wardly as Trincombar, tis ordered if the wind permitt that she proceed as far as Negapatam, and enquire there whether said Tape took a pass for Collumbo but that if he cannot reach the Port he send our letter from thence to Negapatam by Land, and tho' we have heard since Tapes Leaving this Place, that he had sometime formerly accompanyed with Pyrates, yett the other two men haveing a good report it seemes very unlikely to us that they shod. have any such designe, since they could be but very ordinarily provided for it, in an open Boat as that was and without Arms or provisions necessary for such an attempt.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

11TH. Dispatched the Mary Smack with a Genell. to the Governor of Trincombar and another to the Governor of Negapatam.

12TH. Dispatched a Genell. Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of Fort St. George.

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ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR. MUNDAY
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. THE 16TH.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

Mr. Ralph Ingram brot. in his Warehousekeepers accot. for the month of February and pays in this day an accot. goods sold out of the warehouse Pagodas thirty two and twenty seaven fanams. He likewise read his accot. Sea and Land Customes of Tevenapatam for do. month wch. is viz :

	Pa.	fa.	ca.
To Land customes	15	5	4
To Rents and Revenues for Juncan &ca.	27	35	3
To sea custom for Imports	2	—	—
	31	4	5 [*sic*]
Wages to be deducted	5	2	—
Pags. ..	26	2	5

which summ was pd. to the Paymaster.

Some stores of wheate and Butter offering for sale and not knowing what occasion there may be in the Garrison for them, Tis ordered that the same be bought being about fifty md. of Bengall wheat and six Jars of Butter, the wheat at two Rupees per Bengall md. and the Butter at six Pags. per Jarr each said to contain two Bengall maund. Ordered that part of the wheat be made into Biskett wch. is safer keeping then the wheat.

Haveing agreed with Mockdum Nina to freight what Bales we had on his vessell to Madrass in order to be there for the Bedford if there shod. be occasion, but she not being ready till we had news that the Bedford was sayled, and the Mary Smack comeing hither, tis agreed to lade the Bales on the Smack, and haveing occasion for Paddy for stores, to impress to Mollim four hundred Pags. for provision thereof to be brot. by said ship from the so.ward wch. is to be taken at the Markett price, with wch. he is satisfied for his disappointment of not employing his vessell according to agreement. Jno. Jacks, Joa. Perera, and Andrew de Rozaria Topasses offering their service in the Millitary tis agreed that they be entertained in Capt. Davis his Company at the usuall pay.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry*.

Arrived here from Madrass ship Sarum Capt. Cristopher Dixon Commander and brought a Generall Letter from the Honoble. President &ca. dated [*sic*]. 17TH.

Came in here the Mary Smack from Trincombar. 20TH.

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Present

FRIDAY THE 20TH.

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

The Mary Smack being arrived from Trincombar whither she went to look out for a Boat that was reported to be turn'd Pyrate wch. is confirmed to us from all hands to be false, and haveing no further occasion for the Smack, tis agreed that what Bales we have ready as many as shee can take in be laden on board her and dispatched for Madrass.

The Chingee Bastion being finished so far as that it is now serviceable haveing its full number of Guns mounted thereon being eight and the wall carried on as far as Vizapore Bastion. wch. is regular [*sic*] and but of little use therefore to be altered, and shod. be the next worke begun upon, but our present circumstances not permitting our pulling it downe at this time, since such a breach may expose us to danger, and the Bricklayers wanting worke, and our former orders requireing the fortiefying the Towne as soone as may be, tis agreed and ordered that the new designed Point, between Visapore and Gollcondah, wch. is to be called Trividee Point, be begun upon and made of the same dementions as Porto Novo Point. Said Point shod. be in the midst between Vizapore and Gollcondah Point, but the Ground being rotten there will not admitt it, therefore must be made about two hundred feet nearer to Vizapore Point where the Ground will bare it and that the Gunner doe draw the form of it that it may be forthwith begun upon.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry*.

24TH. Dispatched the Mark Smack and upon her sent a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. dated [*sic*].

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

FRIDAY THE 31ST. [*sic*].

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

Mr. Mountague pays into the Rt. Honoble. Compas. cash Pags. one hundred and seaven and twenty three fanams, for wch. desires a bill on the Honoble. President &ca. wch. is granted him Conformable to their orders for drawing bills for small sums of money for encouragement of Trade. The Bill is payable to Capt. Armiger Goslin at six days sight.

Mr. Trevr. Games pays in accot. his Collections of Land Customes Pags. two hundred forty four twenty five fanams three cash.

Mr. Ingram reports to have paid in to the Paymasters Conicoply Pags. two hundred accot. goods sold out of the warehouse.

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Joseph Hernesby and Jn°. Micklesfeild requesting to serve the R^t. Hono^ble. Company in the Gunroome Crew, tis ordered that they be entertained.

Joao' Barrett, Jao, Pereara, David Perrera, and Tome de Mount, desireing to be entertained as soldiers in the R^t. Hono^ble. Comp^as. service, tis agreed that they be entertained in Capt. Hugonins Comp^a.

One Bulean formerly a Corporall in this Garrison being discharged from this Place and now in service under Mangama Queen of Chirtinoppobe haveing sent a Cooley called Prastian with letters hither to severall of our men Inciteing and enticeing them from the R^t. Hono^ble. Comp^as. service and endeavouring to perswade them to run away from hence with their arms, to prevent and discourage such foull practises for the future, tis ordered that the said Prastian be turned out of town with the Tom Tom, and it seeming that the Messinger may be ignorant of the contents of said Letter that he be for this time threatened with severe Punishment if he comes again upon any such errant.

Haveing had occasion to pull downe a Paggoda that stood without Cuddalore Town wall, near Chingee Gate, and to use the Bricks toward making the wall of that part of the Town w^ch. amount to the number of one hundred and six thousand, haveing agreed with the last to whom it belonged for thirty Pag^s. tis ordered that it be paid them.

The Deputy Governor reads his acco^t. cash for the months of January & February, the ballance of the first being Pagodas seaven thousand three hundred forty seaven and one fanam, and the next pagodas nine hundred seaventy five and twenty six fanams, both which are entered after this months Consultations.

Having upon Notice of the late Troubles Bo^t. up for stores such Paddy as we could procure, and not having conveniency of Godowns roome to keep it and there being a prospect of much more dayly comeing in, which may make it Cheaper, tis agreed to pay the Peons and servants halfe their wages for this month in Paddy at the price it was bought, it being now something cheaper in the Buzar.

Man^ll. Cordera &c^a. Arrack Renters pays into the R^t. Hono^ble. Companys Cash in full of a quarters rent for the same Pag^s. one hundred forty one and twenty four fanams.

And Mall Gonsalvice &c^a. Renters of the Bounds pays in acco^t. of arreares of Rent for last year pag^s. one hundred, all the summs rec^d. this day amounting to Pag^s. seaven hundred ninety four ten fanams and three cash are p^d. to the Paymaster to defray the Expences of the Garrison.

Jn°. Haynes.
Ralph Ingram.
Edm. Mountague.
Rich^d. Farmer.
Trev^r. Games.

Rich^d. Skingle, *Secry.*

THE RT. HONBLE. COMPAS. CASH. DR.

JANRY.		Pags.	fa.	ca.
1st.	To ballance brought from last month.	6225	27	3
5	To Woodenargue Reddy & Eram Rause present Renters of the Bounds for a quarters rent due ye. pro. Sept. last.	694	16	—
6	To Manll. Cordera for a qrs. Rent of ye. Ferry Boat	12	24	—
7	To Accot. Curt. Fort St. George Recd. in Accot. of Mr. Farmer for wch. passed a bill of exchange on ye. Honble. Presidt. Councill payable at 6 days sight to Mr. Wm. Fraser for	350	—	—
	To Do. of Edwd. Kealing drawn on Do. at Do. time payable to himselfe	110	—	—
12	To Edm. Mountague accot. Tobacco & Betle at Cuddalore	96	13	3
	To Narsapa Accot. Town Conicoplys place at Tevenapatam Sd. to be in full for his years Rent thereof ..	22	—	—
	To Manll. Gonsalvis &ca. Rentrs. Accot. Tobacco & betle for Last year ..	90	—	—
	To Ralph Ingram Accot. goods Sold out of ye. Warehouse	361	—	—
	To Do. accot. his collections of Sea and Land customes of Tevenapatam.	12	—	—
	To Richd. Farmer accot. Tobacco and Betle at Tevenapatam	83	29	3
22	To Accot. Salary for wtt. due to Mr. Fraser charged in ye. Genll. to ye. time he went from hence wch. lately understood was pd. him in Fort St. George	40	4	3

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JANRY.		Pags.	fa.	ca.
8	By Richd. Farmer Paymastr. to defray Genll. Expenses	3504	—	—
12	By do.	96	13	3
19	By Do.	22	—	—
	By Do.	463	—	1
	By Do.	83	29	3
22	By Andec [*sic*] &ca. Washers pd. accot. whiteing cloth..	134	—	—
	By Genll. Stores for ye. following perticulars vizt.—			
	Maine and fore sayles of ye. advice Frigatt of Holland Duck both new bot. for Tarpawlins Cost .. 38 — —			
	Maine and Top Mast Stay Sayles & Top Galent Sayles of Do. Ship halfe worne out bot. for use of Madrass Pinace .. .. 8 — —			
	Fore Mast of Do. bot. for ours and others uses .. 6 — —			
	Casks small Iron bound 2 bot. for Madrass Pinace .. 8 — —			
		60	—	—
	By Viabo Chitte &ca. Merchts. pd. as pr. Contra Accot. provision of goods.	5000	—	—
	By Eram Rause &ca. Merchts. Do. ..	5000	—	—

To Acco^{t}. Curr^{t}. Fort St. George Recd. acco^{t}. owners of ye. Advice Frigat for wch. passed a bill Exchange on ye. Hono^{ble}. Presid^{t}. &ca. payable at 6 days sight to ye. Hono^{ble}. Tho^{s}. Pitt Esq^{r}.	358	1	—
To Do. rec^{d}. in Acco^{t}. of Viabo Chitte &ca. payable at Do. time ..	5000	—	—
To Do. of Eram Rause &c^{a}. payable at Do. time	5000	—	—
To Ed^{m}. Mountague Sea Custom^{r}. of Cuddalore Recd. on ye. acco^{t}. ..	500	—	—
To Man^{ll}. Gonsalvis &ca. Rent of ye. Bounds for Last year	200	—	—
Pag^{s}. ..	19156	8	1 [*sic*]

By Rich^{d}. Farmer Paym^{r}. to pay ye. Garrison for this month	600	—	—
	11809	7	1 [*sic*]
By Ballance carryed to next month ..	7347	1	—
Pag^{s}. ..	19156	8	1

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[The Rt. Honble. Compas. Cash. Dr.]

			Pa.	fa.	ca.
Febry.	1	To Ballance brought from last month.	7347	1	—
		To Acco^{t}. Curr^{t}. Fort St. George Recd. p^{r}. Ship Sarum	6000	—	—
	6	To Man^{ll}. Gonsalvis &ca. Tobacco betle Rent^{rs}. recd. from them acco^{t}. arrears due from y^{m}. on that acco^{t}. for Last year	41	29	—
	10	To Trev^{r}. Games Acco^{t}. Land Custome of Cuddalore..	286	9	4
	19	To Ed^{m}. Mountague Acco^{t}. Tobacco & Betle at Ditto	175	11	—
	27	To Ralph Ingram Acco^{t}. goods sold out of y^{e}. Warehouse	392	—	—
		To D^{o}. Acco^{t}. Sea & Land Customes of Tevenapatam	21	5	3
		Pag^{s}. ..	14263	20	1

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			Pa.	fa.	ca.
Febry.	1	By Sunda Bollajee Vinkater Rangavia Ranga Bra &c. Ama Pilla p^{d}. them on a Contract for provision of 10000 p^{a}. worth of goods on y^{e}. terms and conditions of y^{e}. other Merchants by ord^{r}. of y^{e}. Hono^{ble}. Presid^{t}. &ca. whereon pd. at Severall times on y^{t}. acco^{t}. since Sep^{t}. last (when y^{e}. Contract was made) to this day	10000	—	—
		By An.lee &c^{a}. washers p^{d}. acco^{t}. whiting d^{o}. goods	85	—	—
	10	By Ri. Farmer paymast^{r}. p^{d}. at twice to defray Expenses	328	2	4
	13	By acco^{t}. Paddy p^{d}. Mr. Games to buy what coms in by land	100	—	—
		By Andee &c^{a}. Washers p^{d}. acco^{t}. whiteing cloth	114	—	—
	14	By Acco^{t}. Paddy p^{d}. Mockdum Nina on 20 Gorse for Stores	300	—	—
	19	By Rich^{d}. Farmer paym^{r}. to defray expenses	175	11	—
	20	By Gunneys 1000 p^{s}. bought at 8 pag^{s}. per 100	80	—	—
	27	By Ropes & twine for 2 candy coyre (for Ropes at 4 p^{a}. 9 f^{a}. p^{r}. candy.	8	18	—
		By Acco^{t}. Paddy p^{d}. Mockdum Nina acco^{t}. 20 corse	300	—	—
	28	By Rich^{d}. Farmer p^{d}. acco^{t}. Storekeep^{rs}. employ	100	—	—
		By d^{o}. at twice to pay y^{e}. Garrison this month	1696	34	3
			13287	30	1
		By Ballance carried to next month ..	975	26	—
		Pag^{s}. ..	14263	20	1

THE Rt. HONOBLE. COMPAS. CASH. — Dr.

			Pags.	fa.	ca.
MARCH	1	To Ballance brot. from Last Month ..	975	26	—
	6	To Accot. Currt. Fort St. George recd. pr. Bedford Sloope	2000	—	—
	16	To Ralph Ingram accot, goods Sold out of ye. Warehouse	37	27	—
		To Do. accot. his collections of Sea and Land Customes of Tevenaptam.	26	2	5
		To Accot. Currt. Fort St. George Recd. pr. Ship Sarum	6000	—	—
	31	To Do. Recd. of Mr. Mountague for a bill of Exchange on ye. Honoble. Presidt. &ca. payable to Capt. Goslin at six days sight	107	23	—
		To Trevr. Games accot. his collections of Land Custome at Cudlor. ..	244	35	3
		To Ralph Ingram Accot. goods sold out of ye. Warehouse	200	—	—
		To Manll. Cordera &ca. for a qrs. Rent of Arrack distilling	141	24	—
		To Manll. Gonsalois &ca. accot. Arrears of their Rent of the Grounds for Last year	100	—	—
		Pags. ..	9828	30	2 [*sic*]

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			Pags.	fa.	ca.
MARCH	11	By Richd. Farmer paymastr. to defray Genell. Expenses	200	—	—
	16	By Do.	26	2	5
	17	By Accot. Paddy pd. Mockdum Nina accot. 27 Gerse	400	—	—
		By accot. provisions for six Jars Bengall buttr. at 6 pas pr. Jar. .. .. 36 —			
		Do. for wheat 1050 measures at 52½ pr. Pagoda is .. .. 20 —	56	—	—
		By accot. provisions pd. Capt. Addams to lay out thereon at Trincombar &ca. for Fort St. George	50	—	—
	24	By Richd. Farmer paymastr. to defray Expenses	80	—	—
	25	By Andee &ca. Washers accot. Cureing Cloth	124	—	—
	26	By Do. Formerly pd. but not Charged before	40	—	—
	31	By Richd. Farmer paymr. to pay of ye. Garrison this month	1444	10	3
			2420	13	2
		By Ballance Carried to next month ..	7408	17	—
		Pags. ..	9828	30	2

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2D. This day came in here ship Munsoone from Bengall Capt. Childe Commander.

4TH. This day pass'd by here ship Danesbourg from Fort St. George.

4TH. Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of Fort St. George.

8TH. This day ship Munsoone sayled out of Cuddalore Road for Madrass.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

WEDNESDAY 12TH [*sic.*]

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

The Deputy Governor reports that he hath recd. of Mannll. Gonsalvis &ca. Tobacco and Betle Farmers on the 6th Inst. accot. arrears of last years rent Pags. eighty seaven and twenty two fanams.

Mr. Ingram brot. in and read his warehouse accot. for the month of March and pays in on that accot. Pags. four hundred and forty, he likewise read his Sea and Land Custome accot. for Do. month viz:

MARCH 31

	Pag.	fa.	ca.	Pa.	fa.	ca.
To Land Custome this month				1	30	5
To Sea Customes Do.				6	26	2
To Rents and Revenues vizt. Juncan.	14	30	1			
of oylemen & Shopkeeprs.	1	25	—			
Shrofes Duty	—	33	—			
for paddy	6	5	4			
				23	21	5
				32	7	0
Wages to be deducted				5	2	—
Pags. ..				27	5	—

The same he pays into cash on said acct.

Mr. Mountague Brot. in and read his Tobacco and Betle accot. for the months of February and March and pays in for the month of February pags. fifty seaven and eight fanams and for the month of March Pags. sixty three, twenty seaven fanams and four cash out of which and what received on other accots. this day was paid to the Paymaster pags. two hundred eighty nine, one fanam and four Cash to defray Generall Expenses.

The accot. Sallary due the 25th of March last to the Rt. Honoble. Compas. Servants being produced by the Accompt. ordered that the same be paid.

Pedero de Prazoraia, Rugoshend de Maata desireing to serve the Rt. Honoble. Company, ordered that they be entertained.

Ventra Gonsalvis Sallva de Cruze are entertained at usuall pay.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

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Came in here from Madrass Sloop Bedford Bound for Trincombar. 11TH.
Passed by here Ship Resolution from Madrass bound to [*sic*]. 14TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

SATTERDAY THE 16TH. [*sic*]

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

The Deputy Governor read his accot. cash for the month of March which is as entered after this months Consultation.

Mr. Mountague brot. in and read his accot. of Sea Customes for Cuddalore for the months of December, January and February which are as follows, viz.

			Pag.	fa.	ca.	
Decemr. 31	To Sea customes for Imports this month.		136	23	2	
	To Rents and Revenues for anchorage..		18	—	—	
	To Do. on Tobacco Betle and Ganjee ..		96	13	3	
			250	35	3	[*sic*]
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..		3	27	—	
			246	8	3	[*sic*]
Janry. 31	To Sea customes for Imports	40 12 5				
	To Do. for Exports ..	58 7 3				
			98	2	2	
	To Rents and Revenues for anchorage..		11	18	—	
	To Do. on Tobacco and Betle		175	11	—	
			285	13	2	[*sic*]
	Servants Wages to be deducted by him.		3	27	—	
	Pags.		281	22	—	
Febry. 28th.	To sea customs for Imports	7 23 2				
	To Do. for Exports ..	151 30 1				
			160	26	3	
	To Rents and Revenues for anchorage..		16	—	—	
	To Do. on Tobacco Betle and Ganjee ..		57	8	—	
			233	34	3	
	Servants Wages to be deducted by him.		3	27	—	
	Pags.		230	7	3	

Thos. Tape desireing to go another voyage to Trincombar the Deputy Governor ordered him to at[t]end at Consultation where it being proposed, it was not thot. Convenient to permitt him to take another voyage, before had advised thereof to Madrass for their approbation because of the strange reports that were raised of him when he went to Collumbo. 16TH.

The watchmans duty by reason of the dead time of the year since October last and our late troubles since February has occasioned the same to be very inconsiderable, in somuch that he hath spent what possible he could spare of his own

money for maintenance of his Peons that watched the bounds and being assured that at present they are in so low a Condition that without a supply they must starve or quit their Post for a better Livelyhood and our Circumstances being such at present by reason of our troubles, that should they leave us 'twould be a weakening to the Place therefore we think it absolutely necessary to prevent the same by giving them twenty Pag^{s}. which hope may satisfie till the Troubles are over when they may subsist on their Revenue.

Woode Naigue Reddy and Eram Rauze present Renters of the Bounds pays in on acco^{t}. of the same Pag^{s}. six hundred ninty four and sixteen fanams which is one quarters rent thereof.

The Storekeeper representing his want of money on said employ, ordered that one hundred Pag^{s}. be paid him.

Tondea Chitte one of the Comp^{as}. Merchants being dead and it being customary to Tashereife his Successor, ordered that three yards of broad Cloth be given his brother which succeeds him.

6TH. Gon Permall alis Aria Nina Uncle to Algapa Chitte one of the Comp^{as}. Merchants Complaining that said Algapa Chitte having got possession of the Estate belonging to the Family and Refuseing (as they say) to share the same according to the Country Custome, to which said Algapa Chitte replys that said Gon Permall hath no right to said estate and the Business being Controverted between them 'twas at last agreed by both Parties that we the Deputy Governor and Council should appoint four persons Merchants of this Place as arbitrators to decide their difference, whereupon we pitched upon the following persons viz. Viabo Chitte, Comcopa Chitte, Pedde Chitte and Verago Chitte which are also agreed to by both parties wherefore tis ordered that the said four Arbitrators do as soone as they can conveniently enquire into the state of their difference and deside the same to the best of their judgments according to their Country Customes and report the same to us for our Confirmation thereof.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREV^{R}. GAMES.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{ty}.*

ATT A CONSULTATION

27TH.

Present

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEP^{TY}. GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

Mr. Ingram Warehousekeeper pays in on that acco^{t}. Pag^{s}. three hundred and sixty out of which summ there is paid to the Paymaster to defray Charges Garrison one hundred.

Haveing in the beginning of our Troubles bought up some Paddy for stores to the amount of about one thousand one hundred pag^{s}. which then was dearer then at present we agreed to put of part of the same to the Peons and servants acco^{t}. their wages, and being requisite to have at least to the same amount in stores conformable to our orders, both from England and Madrass, and Mockdum Nuna haveing a quantity offers the same at the present market price, which is some thing cheaper then formerly and will oblidge himselfe to keep it till the Company may have occasion to make use of it, and then measure it out to us, whereby shall

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save what always is lost by shrinking, vermin, etc. which ever used to be considerable wherefore tis agreed to take of him upon the aforesaid terms as much as may be needful to keep up our present stores whch will be about the amount of one thousand one hundred pag^{s}. designing to put of more of the present stores bought in the beginning of our Troubles it being dear and not so proper for keeping as what we shall have of him now. Tis also agreed that the Company pay Godown rent they haveing none proper to keep it in.

Five Topasses being likely men offering their service they are entertained in Captain Hugonins company viz. Joas Barrett, Domingo Rodrigo, Francisco de Cruse. In Captain Davis's company Pedro Perera, Domingo de Mola. **27TH.**

Gungoram Governor of Waldore desireing in his letter to the Deputy Governor some rose water and other od[d] things it being convenient to use his friendship, tis ordered that it be sent him it being but a small amount viz. rosewater four bottles Gunpowder three pound Fans halfe a dozen.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREV^{R}. GAMES.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}*.

28TH.

Passed by here ship Santa Cruse from Maneala bound for Madrass.
This day came into this Road ship Rozana from Moccaw bound for Madrass. **30**
This day ship Rozana sayled out of Cuddalore Road bound for Madrass. **MAY 5TH**
This day came in the ship Adventure from Bombay Captain Harper Commander bound for Madrass. **7TH.**
This day ship Adventure sayled out of Cuddalore Road. **11TH.**

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present **MONDAY 11TH.**

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

The Deputy Governor reports that Mr. Mountague paid in since last consultation Pag^{s}. seaven hundred and eighty acco^{t}. his collections of Sea Customes of Cuddalore, which being due for former months is ordered to be made received the 30th of Aprill of said money was paid the Paymaster Pag^{s}. one hundred and fifty.

There being some debts due which should be brought in last year Books ending Aprill last tis ordered that the Acco^{t}. cash for the month of Aprill be kept open till the midle of June in order to the getting in as much of said money as can to be entered in said months acco^{t}. and the Generall Books being to end the last of last month ordered that an acco^{t}. of the reall Remaines in and belonging to the Garrison be drawn out, by the severall Persons under whose Charge they are, to compare with the Remaines according to the Books ordered that the same be done with all Expedition conveniently.

Mr. Ingram pays in acco^{t}. goods sold out of the warehouse pag^{s}. one hundred and seaventeen. He likewise paid in acco^{t}. his Sea and Land Customes of Tevenapatam Pag^{s}. forty two and six fanams both which sums are ordered to be made received the 30th of Aprill being due for that month and before, both which sums amounting to pag^{s}. one hundred fifty nine and six fanams are paid the Paymaster.

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And this day Mr. Ingram brought in and read his Sea and Land Customes acco^{t}. of Tevenapatam for the month of Aprill last viz.

To Land Custome this month				17	34	3
To Rents and Revenues for Juncan &$^{ca.}$				24	30	—
To Sea Customes for Imports ..	3	19	—			
To D^{o}. for Exports	—	18	—			
Anchorage	—	10	5			
				4	11	5
				47	8	— [*sic*]
Servants Wages to be deducted as p^{r}. his ac^{o}. ..				5	2	—
Pag^{s}.				42	6	—

Garrett Conclious a Dutch man is entertained as a soldier in this Garrison. Martan Andrado Man^{l}. Coteena, Anto. de Soza, Simon de Cruse, are entertained as Topass soldiers in this Garrison the latter at one Pag. per month.

Doctor Royer sent in a Bill of Physick he was furnished with on his desire haveing occasion thereof by Doctor Buckley amounting to Pag^{s}. twenty and six fanams, as also another bill of what bought by him here for the Physick Room, amounting to one Pag. fourteen fanams, which being looked over in Consultation the Paymaster is ordered to discharge both the bills amounting to pag^{s}. twenty one and twenty fanams and the Doctor to be as frugall in his Expences of Physick as possible.

Jn^{o}. Haynes.
Ralph Ingram.
Ed^{m}. Mountague.
Rich^{d}. Farmer.
Trev^{r}. Games.

Rich^{d}. Skingle, *Sec^{ry}*.

16TH. This day came in here the Anjango Briganteen from Trincombar, Captain James Linsay Commander bound for Madrass.

Att a Consultation

MONDAY 18TH. *Present*

The Worp^{ll}. Jn^{o}. Haynes Esq^{r}. Dep^{ty}. Governor.
Mr. Ralph Ingram. Mr. Ed^{m}. Mountague.
Mr. Rich^{d}. Farmer. Mr. Trev^{r}. Games.

The Dep^{ty}. Gov^{r}. reports that he hath paid Mockdum Nina pag^{s}. five hundred for Provision of stores for Paddy at fifteen pag^{s}. per Garse the present Markett price as per Consultation of the 21st past month with this Addition, that if Paddy should happen to be cheaper when the Company should have occasion to make use of it, that then said Mockdum Nina shall lett it go at the then Markett price and if it happen to be dearer that the Company shall have the advantage.

Mr. Farmer brought in and read his Paymaster's acco^{t}. for four mounths [*sic*] from November to February inclusive, which are entered after this Consultation.

The country Arrack distillers haveing made many complaints of their great losses by the deserting of the Inhabitants by Reason of our late Troubles, desireing an Abatement, and on enquiry made, find that there is some reason for their Request, and the same being since last Consultation considered upon and throughly debated, 'twas agreed that we ought in Justice to make some abatement of the

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quarters rent, wherefore each of us writeing down upon Billetts what each thought reasonable to be abated the medium of the whole amounting to pag^{s}. twenty five, was allowed them of which they were acquainted and ordered to gett ready the Remainder, which their Security said would be very difficult if not impossible for them to doe, but they were told they must pay it one way or other.

Jn^{o}. Haynes.
Ralph Ingram.
Ed^{m}. Mountague.
Rich^{d}. Farmer.
Trev^{r}. Games.

November 1701	To Charges Garrison	858	16	3
	To Acco^{t}. Peons and Servants Wages	371	2	—
	To charges Generall	74	3	—
	To charges Extraordinary	40	10	1
	To charges Merchandize	15	9	—
	To charges Building	47	18	2
	To charges Generall at Cuddalore	34	30	5
	To charges Building D^{o}.	69	9	—
		1500	20	5 [*sic*]
	To Ballance	955	34	2
	Pag^{s}.	2466	22	1 [*sic*]
	To charges Dyett as p^{r}. stewards acco^{t}.	69	12	—
	To Ballance	475	35	1
	Pag^{s}.	545	11	1

Errors Excepted.
P^{R}. Rich^{d}. Farmer.

December 1701	To charges Garrison	851	27	—
	To acco^{t}. Peons and Servants Wages	373	4	—
	To charges Generall	97	30	2
	To charges Extraordinary	197	23	5
	To charges Merchandize	20	23	1
	To charges Building	58	32	5
	To charges Generall at Cuddalore	32	30	—
	To charges Building at D^{o}.	57	3	5
		1690	4	— [*sic*]
	To Ballance	629	28	4
		2319	33	— [*sic*]
	To charges Dyett as p^{r}. Stewards acco^{t}.	80	31	3
	To Ballance	475	35	1
	Pag^{s}.	556	30	4

Errors Excepted.
P^{R}. Rich^{d}. Farmer.

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Jan^{ry}. 170½	To charges Garrison	822	35	—	
	To acco^{t}. Peons and Servants wages	377	5	—	
	To charges Generall	70	19	—	
	To charges Extraordinary	17	5	5	
	To charges Merchandise	17	7	3	
	To charges Building	80	33	3	
	To charges General at Cuddalore	44	11	3	
	To charges Building at d^{o}.	40	16	—	
		1476	25	2	[*sic*]
	To Ballance	695	11	—	
	Pag^{s}.	2172	—	2	
	To charges Dyett as p^{r}. Stewards accot. ..	72	35	3	
	To Ballance	475	35	1	
		548	34	4	

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
P^{R}. RICH^{D}. FARMER.

February 170½	To charges Garrison	814	2	—	
	To acco^{t}. Peons and Servants Wages	418	25	—	
	To charges Generall	94	8	3	
	To charges Extraordinary..	6	15	—	
	To charges Merchandize	44	10	—	
	To charges Building	77	23	4	
	To charges Generall at Cuddalore	52	21	2	
	To charges Extraordinary at Cuddalore ..	16	15	1	
	To charges Building at Cuddalore	124	10	3	
		1648	23	—	[*sic*]
	To Ballance	1117	34	2	
	Pag^{s}.	2766	21	2	
	To charges Dyett as p^{r}. Stewards Accot. ..	129	1	5	
	To Ballance	475	35	1	
	Pag^{s}.	605	1	—	

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
P^{R}. RICH^{D}. FARMER.

21ST. This day Anjango Briganteen Captain James Linsay Commander Sayled out of this Road for Madrass.

23D. Passed by here ship Resolution Domingo de Sillva Commander, bound for Madrass.

MONDAY 25TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEP^{TY}. GOVERNOUR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

The R^{t}. Hono^{ble}. Companys Bounds being lett out last for one year, which ends the ult^{o}. next month, tis therefore ordered, that bills be wrote in the severall

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Languiges [*sic*] to be afixt in the Publick Places as usuall viz. the Fort Gate, Tevenapatam and Cuddalore, to give notice that the same will be exposed to outcry for one year at the Companys Hall in the Fort on Munday the 1st instant between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning.

And the Rent for Country Arrack distilling haveing been last lett out for two years which expireing the last day of July next, tis thought requisit to give notice in said bills that the said licence for said Country Arrack distilling will be lett out for one year at the same time.

The Reason for our endeavouring to lett out the Bounds so soone is because that we have reason to believe that the present Renters of the Bounds have a designe to endeavour the lessening of said revenue by Combination with others that are inclined to take the same Refuseing to permitt the Inhabitants to plough the Ground before they know how much they may have the same for, and if should refuse to bid up for the same, to what it may really be thought to be worth, shall have time enough to endeavour to dispose of it to better advantage, and if any new Renters should take the same they may have time to provide oxen and other necessarys for tilling the ground. 25TH.

The Honoble. President haveing advised the Deputy Governor that they received by the Mary Smack some silke wormes from Bangalla which are encreased to a wonder, and that they are hard put to it for to gett meat enough for them, and that part of them will be sent us by the first opportunity, and recommends the provideing for them, and that they design to plant millions of Mullberry trees for them, in hopes to succeed in so great an undertaking which being discoursed of in Consultation, 'twas agreed and ordered that a large piece of ground be planted with Mullberry trees to make provision for the silke wormes against they come, and it being now the dry season of the year it will be convenient to have them watered that they may grow the faster, tis therefore agreed to keep three Gardeners and a boy for drawing water to water the same, and the Deputy Governor haveing some knowledge of the way of planting them hath pitched upon a piece of ground without Cuddalore Town, that he thinks may be proper for the same, wherefore tis agreed that as many cooleys as can conveniently work in levelling and digging the same fitt for to plant be employed about the same till finished.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH. FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICH. SKINGLE,
Secretary.

Dispatched a Generall Letter to Fort St. George of this days date. 29TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

MUNDAY THE 1ST. OF JUNE.

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

The Paymaster acknowledges to have received by his Conicoply of Mr. Games, Land Customer of Cuddalore, Pags. two hundred sixty two thirteen fanams and three cash which was received towards defraying last months charges wherefore said money is brought to accot. in last month.

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This being the day appointed for Letting out the Companys Bounds, and the Country Arrack distilling, the People being mett in the Companys Hall, the Arrack farme was first put up, after notis[e] given that the same was for one year only upon the same termes and conditions as the late Renters rented the same, onely that they that should be the present Renters were promised that none except the Publick houses licensed by the Deputy Governor and Council shall sell a less quantity of Collombo Arrack then a quarter of a Leagure and on Importing Collumbo Arrack they should be permitted to take an acco^{t}. of the same and that none should be sold without their knowledge, to prevent the Retaleing, after many bidding Tuerngalum, being the greatest bidder, took the same for eight hundred and twenty Chuckrums at ten great fanams per Chuckrum and eighteen d^{o}. fanams
1s. JUNE. per pagoda to be paid quarterly as usually to commence the primo August next.

The Arrack Rent being lett out the Bounds were put up and none offering more for the same then four thousand Chuckrums except Mr. Mountague and Mollem, who were privately ordered to bid to raise the same to near what lett for last year, who haveing by bidding against each other brought to four thousand six hundred Chuckrums, which thô four hundred less then what lett for last year, none advanceing thereon Could not lett them therefore twas agreed to endeavour the letting them to better advantage by private contract or by devideing them into severall small farmes and lett them so to the Inhabitants of the Towns and viligages [*sic*] haveing a months time to consider which may be most beneficiall to the Company conformable to what advised the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. the 29th past month.

Mr. Farmer Paymaster brought in and read his acco^{t}. thereof for the months of March and Aprill which are as entered after this Consultation, he also brought in and read his acco^{ts}. of Tobacco, betle and Ganjee brought into Tevenapatam for the months of January and February March and Aprill.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Secry*.

March 1702	To charges Garrison	858	32	—
	To Acco^{t}. Peons and Servants wages	496	8	—
	To charges Generall	67	33	—
	To charges Extraordinary	5	—	6
	To charges merchandize	17	9	5
	To charges generall stores	13	14	3
	To charges Building	47	18	—
	To charges Gen^{ll} at Cuddalore.	64	11	1
	To charges Merchandize D^{o}.	3	11	—
	To charges Building	128	23	4
		1702	17	4 [*sic*]
	To Ballance	1075	8	—
		2777	25	4
	To charges Dyett as p^{r}. Stewards Acco^{t}. ..	90	22	—
	To Ballance	475	35	1
	Pag^{a}.	566	21	1

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
P^{R}. RICH^{D}. FARMER.

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April	To charges Garrison	886	32	—
1702	To acco^{t}. Peons and Servants wages	496	26	—
	To charges Gene^{ll}.	73	7	3
	To charges Extraordinary	4	30	—
	To charges Merchandize	15	15	1
	To charges Building	43	29	—
	To charges Gen^{ll}. at Cuddalore	63	6	1
	To charges Building at D	391	31	4
		1975	34	1
	To Ballance	1194	26	—
	Pag^{s}.	3170	27	1 [*sic*]
	To Charges Dyett as p^{r}. Stewards accot. ..	79	30	3
	To Ballance	475	35	1
	Pag^{s}.	555	29	4

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
P^{R}. RICH^{D}. FARMER.

Received a Generall Letter from the Hono^{ble}. President etc^{a}. dated the 4th inst. with Papers &c^{a}. JUNE

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEP^{TY}. GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

WEDNESDAY 10TH.

Last night arrived a Generall from the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. of the 4th Inst. with severall other Papers as per list of the Packet Coppied after this Consultation, on Receipt of said Letter the Councill were summoned to meet the next morning early, and an order sent to the Warehousekeeper for Ladeing as many Boats as could be gott with Bales in the morning to be sent on board the Sarum that no time might be lost in dispatching said ship, w^{ch}. is ordered to be done with all Expedition in said General Letter and haveing not Bales enough to fill her tis order'd that if any Merchants offer to freight on her they be permitted at the usual Rates.

Severall of our Gunroome Crew, most of them being of those that belonged formerly to the Advice Friggate, desireing their discharge, and our Troubles in all appearance being well nigh over they being very earnest for it, are permitted to take their Passage to Madrass on the same.

Tho^{s}. Tape desireing leave to go to Madrass, it is granted him and an order sent to Captain Dixon to take him on board.

The President &c^{a}. desireing us to send them a considerable quantity of Country Match, the Paymaster is ordered Immediately to send to Bromgpoli to know what quantity is now ready there which if not sufficient that then more be provided forthwith to supply both Madrass and this Garrison. In another Generall received late last night from the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. dated the 6th Inst. they permitt us to make a present to Abdull Lebby to the amount of four hundred pag^{s}. in Consideration of his former Civillitye, and withall provided that he will take of his People that are watching round about our Bounds, for the sooner effecting whereof being of Considerable consequence to this place. Tis agreed that Mockdum

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Nina do forthwith proceed to Porto Novo on pretence of goeing to the weding of some of his kindred there to treat with Abdull Lebby in Private about this Business. Tis also agreed that his Expences in this Journey be defrayed by the Company.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE,
Secry.

12TH. Dispatched ship Sarum to Madrass and upon her a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of that Place with papers &ca. also Coppie of our Consultations to compleat the last year 1701, Mr. Cranwell took his Passage upon her.

No. 1. A List of the Pacquet received the 9 Inst. Fort St. George Generall to Fort St. David dated the 4th Inst. 1702.

2. Coppie of proposall offered by the Nabob and Duan to accommodate matters with the Governor of Chinapatam.

3. Coppie of the Governours Letter to the Duan with his Answer.

4. Coppie of Bengall Generalls to Fort St. George dated the 25th, 8th and 10th of Aprill 1702 with Coppie of Letters from their subordinate Factorys to the President and Councill there.

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Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

MUNDAY 15TH. Mr. Ralph Ingram Warehousekeeper pays in on accot. goods sold out of the warehouse pags. one hundred which being due in the month of Aprill, ordered that the same be made received in that month the Accot. cash being still open. He likewise reports that he paid in the month of May to Gruapa the Paymasters Conicoply pags. twenty nine and six fanams which is since received and paid the Paymaster in Do. month.

The Doctor sent in his bill of expences of the Physick Roome for the month of May amounting to pags. five thirty four fanams and five cash which is ordered to be paid.

15TH. There being an appearance of our Troubles being well nigh over we discoursed in Councill about dismissing Supernmerary Peons and soldiers and twas Concluded at present being the fifteenth day of the month that one hundred of the Peons lately taken in be discharged and if nothing Interveines between this and the Later end of the month that as many of the Peons and soldiers &ca. be discharged as can conveniently be spared and that the Extraordinary Guards at Tevenapatam the sand hill and the washing Tancke be withdrawn onely that there remaine at Tevenapatam Gate twenty men with a Commssion Officer and that the Guard at Cuddalore at the Passage Boat be withdrawn and Chingee Gate being the Principle Passage into the Town and our main Battery being near thereto, tis thought convenient that a Commission Officer and twenty men do constantly keepe Guard there.

Peter Jonson and Marteen Jacobs desireing to serve the Rt. Honoble. Company as soldiers in this Garrison they are entertained in Captain Davis his company.

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Jn°. Peterson desireing to serve the R^t. Hono^ble. Company as a soldier in this Garrison is entertained in Captain Hugonins company.

Gabriell Grope and Peter Johnson desireing to serve the R^t. Hono^ble. Company as soldiers are entertained in Captain Hugonins Company.

JN°. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^M. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^D. FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICH^D. SKINGLE,
Sec^ry.

This day came in here a ship of Captain Mollims from [*Lacuna*]. 16TH.

This day a ship called [*Lacuna*] belonging to Captain Mollim sayled out of Cuddalore Road. D°.

Jn°. Bencrofte a Corporall in this Garrison departed this life and was buried the 17th Inst. D°.

Granted a Pass to Ammedull Lebby Panp°. 3. 23D.

This day one of the Companys Horses dyed. 25TH.

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Present

THE WORP^LL. JN°. HAYNES ESQ^R. DEP^TY. GOVERNOUR. THURSDAY 25TH.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. ED^M. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^D. FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

The Deputy Governour reports that he hath received into the Companys cash since last Consultation the following sums viz.

				Pag^s.	fa.	ca.
Of Mr. Rich^d. Farmer storekeeper acco^t. stores sold				33	17	3
Of Man^ll. Cordera Arrack Renters acco^t. a quarters rent, due the last of Aprill last past, which with the twenty five pag^s. allowed them abatement in consideration of their Loss in Consultation of the 18th May last past is in full for said quarters rent				31	24	—
Acco^t. freight of goods laden on the Sarum viz.						
Bales 38 at ¾ pag^s. per Bale	28	18	—			
Grain and oyle seed 2⅔ Gorse at 4 pag^s. per Gorse.	9	18	—			
Indigo one Candy at 3 per Pagoda	—	12	—			
				38	12	—
Pag . ..				103	17	3

Mr. Ralph Ingram warehousekeeper brought in and read his acco^t. thereof for the months of Aprill and May with the acco^t. remaines of the warehouse in the month of Aprill. 25TH.

Whereas in a Consultation of the 17th July 1699, it is ordered that the Commission Officers do pay for the Plate that was stole out of the Poultry the night before, in order whereto the Paymaster was ordered to stop the Perquisits of the Lieu^ts. for Runaway and dead mens pay as per Consultation of the 5th of Sept^r. which having been in suspense hitherto, and the Lieu^ts. having often requested said perquisits which we haveing well considered do think that notwithstanding said order of Consultation its unreasonable said Lieu^ts. should pay for the same

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since it cannot be supposed that they could have prevented it, haveing no particular charge thereof, wherefore tis ordered (the money not being lay'd out as designed by said Consultation) that the Paymaster do draw out an acco^{t}. of what money due to each Lieu^{t}. on said acco^{t}. and pay them, being their due by permission according to former order of Consultation and Custome of the Place.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE,
Sec^{ry}.

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Present

MUNDAY 29TH.

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEP^{TY}. GOVERNOUR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

The Deputy Governour produces the Mint acco^{t}. for 12 months from the primo May 1701 to the ultimo Aprill last past amounting to pag^{s}. one hundred twenty seaven twenty fanams and three cash, of which forty six pagodas in twenty three sealed papers for eassaying and one hundred and forty great fanams in fourteen papers for d^{o}. which money is made to be received into Cash in the month of Aprill.

He likewise produces an acco^{t}. of weighing and measuring duty for one year from the primo Aprill 1701 to the ultimo March 1702 amounting to pag^{s}. sixty one twenty nine fanams and four cash, which is made received into cash in d^{o}. month.

Mr. Games Land Customer of Cuddalore brought in and read his acco^{t}. from July 1701 to May 1702 Inclusive the amount of which acco^{ts}. have been paid in as due, the acco^{ts}. are as entered after this Consultation.

Mr. Ed^{m}. Mountague, Sea Customer of Cuddalore, brought in his acco^{ts}. thereof for the months of March and Aprill and pays in on that acco^{t}. pag^{s}. two hundred the acco^{ts}. are as follows after this Consultation. He likewise bro^{t}. in his acco^{ts}. of Tobacco, Betle and Ganjee bro^{t}. into Cuddalore for the months of Aprill and May last both amounting to pag^{s}. two hundred twenty seaven thirty one fanams and four cash, which is also paid into cash this day the aforesaid summs paid in by Mr. Mountague amounting to pag^{s}. four hundred rwenty [*sic*] seaven thirty one fanams and four cash are paid the Paymaster towards defraying this months expences.

This being the latter end of the month twas Concluded that what peons and soldiers could be conveniently spared should be dismissed, because we apprehend the Troubles to be over, therefore agreed as follows that as many peons as were lately entertained on apprehention of our troubles be dismissed and that twenty of the worst Topasses be disbanded out of each company, but there being nine Europeans offering their service who are not allways to be had, tho never so great occasion for them, tis agreed that six of them be entertain'd in Captain Davis's company, viz. Sebrand Peterson, Alexander Mang, Leonard Johnson, Coneraught Johnson, Will. Tunis, Henrick Johnson, the other three are entertained in the Gunroome, viz. Benjamin Brumfield, Henrick Harrison, Harman Lambeck, Domingo Paull being a likely Topass is entertain'd in Captain Davis's company.

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Eram Rauze &c^{a}. paid in on acco^{t}. the rent of the Bounds pag^{s}. six hundred ninty four and sixteen fanams.

Jn^{o}. Haynes.
Ralph Ingram.
Ed^{m}. Mountague.
Rich^{d}. Farmer.
Trevor Games.

Rich^{d}. Skingle, *Sec^{ry}*.

								Pag.	fa.	oa
		Land Customer.				Dr.				
		Cuddalore, anno 1701.								
July 1st.	To Ballance of last months acco^{t}.							179	—	4
31	To Land Custome this month					139	2 5			
	To Rents and Revenues vizt.									
	On acco^{t}.									
	Juncan ordin^{ry}.	12	4	5						
	D^{o}. perticular on Paddy ..	—	2	5						
					12	7	4			
	On acco^{t}. Shrofes Duty ..				4	30	—			
								17	1 4	
								156	4 —	[*sic*]
								335	5 1	[*sic*]
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..							2	— —	
	Pag^{s}. ..							333	5 1	

Errors Excepted.
Pr. Trevor Games.

Augt. 1	To Balance of last month.							155	5	1
30	To Land Custome this month					120	5 1			
	To Rents and Revenues vizt.									
	On acco^{t}. Juncan ordin^{ry}. ..	25	2	2						
	On acco^{t}. Slaves Registerd one.	—	9	—						
					25	11	2			
	On acco^{t}. Shrofes Duty ..				5	—	—			
								30	11 2	
								150	16 3	
								305	21 4	
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..							3	18 —	
	Pag^{s}. ..							302	3 4	

Errors Excepted.
Pr. Trev^{r}. Games.

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						Pags.	fa.	ca.
Sepr. 1	To Ballance of last months acco^{t}.					301	3	4
30	To Land Custome this month.			112	33 5			
	To Rents and Revenues Viz^{t}.							
	On Acco^{t}. Juncan.	17	27 4					
	On acco^{t}. 2 slaves registered ..	—	27 —					
		18	18 4					
	On acco^{t}. shrofes Duties ..	4	33 —					
				23	15 4			
						136	13	1
						437	17	1
	Servant Wages to be deducted ..					5	—	—
	Pag^{s}. ..					432	17	1

Errors Excepted.
Pr. Trevr. Games.

Oct. 1.	To ballance of Last months acco^{t}.					131	21	5
31	To Land custome this month.			46	33 1			
	To Rents and Revenues Viz^{t}.							
	On acco^{t}. Juncan.	11	1 5					
	On acco^{t}. Shrofes Dutys ..	4	33 —					
				15	34 5			
						62	32	—
						194	17	5
	Servants wages to be deducted ..					4	18	—
						189	35	5

Errors Excepted.
Pr. Trevr. Games.

Novr. 1	To Ballance of Last months acco^{t}.					189	35	5
30	To Land Custome this month.			48	14 4			
	To Rents and Revenues Viz .							
	On acco^{t}. Juncan ..	6	15 2					
	On acco^{t}. Slaves registered ..	—	18 —					
	On acco^{t}. Shrofes Dutys	4	30 —					
				11	27 2			
						60	6	—
						250	5	5
	Servants wages to be deducted ..					4	18	—
	Pag^{s}. ..					245	23	5

Errors Excepted.
Pr. Trevr. Games.

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					Pags.	fa.	ca.
Decem^{R}. 1	To Ballance of last month.				245	23	5
	To Land Custome this month.	105	26	1			
	To Rents and Revenues Viz .						
	On accot. Juncan .. 17 16 1						
	On acco^{t}. Shrofes Dutys .. .. 4 27 —						
		22	7	1			
					127	33	2
					372	21	1 [*sic*]
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..				4	18	—
	Pag^{s}. ..				368	3	1

Errors Excepted.
P^{R} Trevor Games.

Cuddalore anno. 1701-2.

Jan^{RY}. 1	To Ballance of last month.				368	3	1
	To Land Custome this month.	151	28	5			
	To Rents and Revenues Viz^{t}.						
	On Acco^{t}. Juncan .. 14 17 3						
	On acco^{t}. Regeistering [*sic*] Slaves for two. — 18 —						
		14	35	3			
					166	28	2
					534	33	3 [*sic*]
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..				4	18	—
	Pag^{s}. ..				530	13	3 [*sic*]

Errors Excepted.
P^{R}. Trev^{R}. Games.

Feb^{RY}. 1	To Ballance of last months acco^{t}. ..				530	13	3
	To Land Custome this month ..	53	27	5			
	To Rents and Revenues this month for Juncan	21	32	1			
					75	24	—
					606	1	3
	Servants wages to be deducted ..				4	18	—
	Pag^{s}. ..				601	19	3

Errors Excepted.
P^{R}. Trevor Games.

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					Pag^{s}.	fa.	ca.
March 1	To Ballance of Last month				304	15	5
	To Land Custome this month ..	17	11	2			
	To Rents and Revenues y^{e}. month for Juncan	9	4	1			
					26	15	— [*sic*]
					330	31	2 [*sic*]
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..				4	18	—
	Pag^{s}. ..				326	13	2

P^{R}. Trev^{R}. Games.
p^{R}. Trev^{R}. Games.

Aprill 1	To Ballance of last month				18	31	5
	To Land Custome this month ..	66	22	—			
	To Rents and Revenues this month for Juncan	9	24	4			
					76	10	4
					158	6	3 [*sic*]
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..				4	18	—
	Pag^{s}. ..				153	24	3

Errors Excepted.
P^{R}. Trev^{R}. Games.

Land Customes.
Cuddalore 1702

To Ballance of Last months acco^{t}.					153	24	3
To Land Customes this month.	102	17	4				
To Rents and Revenues for Juncan	9	29	3				
One Slave registered for Madrass ..	—	18	—				
				10	11	3	
					112	29	1
					266	17	4
To Ballance					—	13	8 [*sic*]
					266	31	3 [*sic*]
Servant Wages to be deducted ..					4	18	—
Pag . ..					262	13	3

Errors Excepted.
P^{R}. Trev^{R}. Games.

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SEA CUSTOMES. DR.

					Pags.	fa.	ca.
MARCH 1	To Ballance of Last Months accot.				1287	28	3
	Importations this month	50	27	1			
	Anchorage	6	18	—			
					57	9	1
	Custome Recd for Tobacco Betle and Ganjee ..				63	24	4
					1408	26	2
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..				3	27	2
	Pags. ..				1404	35	2 [*sic*]

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR EDM. MOUNTAGUE.

APRILL	To Ballance of Last month ..				1404	35	2
	Importations this month ..	232	24	4			
	Exportations	11	13	2			
	Anchorage	20	18	—			
					264	20	—
	Custome for Tobacco Betle and Ganjee ye. month.				115	30	—
					1785	13	2
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..				3	27	—
	Pags. ..				1781	22	2

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.

JULY 1ST. Passed by here two French ships supposed from Europe.

3D. This day arrived here the Greyhound Sloope from Madrass.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

MUNDAY THE 6TH.

Mr. Ralph Ingram Warehousekeeper brot. in and read his account thereof for the month of June. He likewise brot. in his Sea and Land Customers account for Tevenapatam for do. month and pays in on that account pags. thirty seaven and five cash, the account is as entered after this Consultation.

Mr. Richd. Farmer Storekeeper brot. in and read his Storekeepers accounts for the months of October, November and December.

Mr. Trevor Games likewise brot. in an account of the hundred pags. paid him in February last past to buy Paddy for stores of the garrison, whereof layd out in five gorse seaven hundred and fourteen Mercall and a halfe ninty one pags. and two great fanams as per said account the Ballance being eight pags. sixteen great fanams he now pays into cash which with the thirty seaven pags. five cash paid in by Mr. Ingram amounting to pags. forty five twenty two fanams and five cash was paid the Paymaster.

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Hans Anderess an European is entertained in Captain Hugonins Company.

JOHN HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHARD FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

SEA AND LAND CUSTOMER DR.

					Pags.	fa.	ca.
30TH. MAY.	To Ballance brot. from last month				29	6	—
	To Accot. Land Custome this month				4	4	4
	To Rents and Revenues vizt.—						
		Pags.	fa.	ca.			
	Accot. Juncan	18	13	1			
	Oylemen & Shopkeepers	1	8	—			
	Shrofes	—	30	—			
					20	15	1
	To Sea Customes vizt.—						
	Imports	15	19	—			
	Anchorage	2	—	—			
					17	19	—
					71	8	5
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..				5	2	—
	Pags. ..				66	6	5

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. RALPH INGRAM.

8TH. Passed by here an Armenia ship from Pointe Gall bound for Madrass.

MUNDAY 13TH. ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

Mr. Ralph Ingram Warehousekeeper pays in accot. goods sold out of the Warehouse Pags. Sixty and one.

JUNE 30TH. Mr. Trevr. Games brot. in and read his accot. of Land Customes of Cuddalore for the month of June and paid in on that accot. pags. one hundred forty five thirty four fanams and three [cash,] the accot. is entered as follows vizt.

To accot. land custome this month ..				125	29	5	
To Rents and Revenues vizt.—							
On accot. Juncan	24	18	3				
One Slave Registered for Madras ..	—	14	—				
				25	—	3	
						[*sic*]	
							150 30 2
Servants Wages to be deducted				..			4 18 —
Pags. ..							146 12 2

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. TREVR. GAMES.

— *JULY 1702* —

Mr. Richd. Farmer Storekeeper brot. in and read his Storekeepers accots. for the months of Janry. Febry. March and Aprill.

The Companys Moossulas at Tevenapatam being much worn out, and want fitting, tis order'd that such as are fitt to be Repaired, and two or three new ones made that the Paymaster do take care of the same and that it be done with all convenient speed.

The Rt. Honble. Companys Bounds being put up at outcry, the first day of June last past, and none offering more for them then four thousand one hundred Chuckrums, we did not think fitt to lett them go at so low a rate as per Consultation of that day and as advised to Madrass and it being refered to the Deptty. Govr. to try what more he could gett for them, and haveing with much difficulty by devideing them into small Farmes Letting them out to severall of the Inhabitants made of them five thousand and fifty Chuckrums an accot. whereof he now produces to be entered after this days Consultation which is approved off, the severall Renters with their Securitys have passed obligations in the Country Languiges [*sic*] for performance of their Severall agreements and the Deptty. Govr. hath given to them Severall Writeings to the same Import Chopt with the Companys Chop or Seall, the perport [*sic*] whereof is: that they take the same on the same termes and Conditions and to have the same Privilliges the late Renters had, and that they are to pay the money quarterly except the Ground belonging to Cuddalore, which admitting of being Ploughed and Sowed but once a year for want of water the Renter thereof is not obliged to pay his first quarter till halfe a year be expired and then to pay quarterly till the whole be paid.

The usuall Tashareife is agreed to be given amongst the severall Renters. And Talla Corinjee Pilla one of the Choultry or Land Custome Conicoplys in Cuddalore haveing been very serviceable in Letting out said Revenue, tis thought fitt to give him 3 yds fine Serge and he being to collect the money tis thot. convenient to allow him halfe a pagoda per month for the same and that the Paymaster do pay him.

The accot. of Farming out the Bounds is as follows after this Consultation.

Jno. Haynes.
Ralph Ingram.
Edm. Mountague.
Richd. Farmer.
Trevr. Games.

Richd. Skingle, *Secry.*

The Ground and all other Revenues belonging to all the Towns and Villages within the Rt. Honble. Companys Bounds lett out to farme from the Primo July 1702 to the primo July 1703 to the following persons who are to enjoy all Privileges and immunities as have for these two years last past been enjoyed by the Renters thereof according to Sallabad, the particulars of the Towns lett out, and to whome their Security, and for how much are as follows vizt.

The Town of Tripopolore with the Ground thereto belonging and all other Revenues according to Sallabad Lett out for the year above mentioned, to Trimcall Raus and Sadashe Row who being Responcible men have no security for Chuckrums	1200
The Ground belonging to Cuddalore with the Towns of Carriacall Coopang, Coondung Grery, and woody Gumbrum, and all the Ground and other Rents belonging thereto Lett out to Allaga Muttapa, who gives for his security for payment of the money Penawatta Chitte, for	1100
The Town of Coriapade and Corvatte Coopang with all the Ground and other Rents thereto belonging Lett to Andavarraw Reddy who being an able man hath no security, for	460
Chomundalum and Billevaray Nuttam and Soorgall Putte, Lett to Anamania who gives for his security Tricom Reddy and Papaw Reddy, for	300

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Manjee Coopang Lett to Lingasse who gives for his security Sadashe Raw, for	300
Gunganap Coopang Lett to Chesauchella Pilla who gives for his security Tumall Raw	250
Witchmere and Upplawade lett to Paupa and Tricom Reddy who being able men have no security, for	360
Juncan Round the Bounds lett to Eram Rauze who gave for his security Gunapa Chitte, for	1100
Chuckrums ...	5050

All which above mentioned sums are to be paid in pag^{s}. at the rate of ten great fanams to a Chuckram and 18 d^{o}. fanams per Pagoda and all to be paid quarterly, except the Renter of Cuddalore Ground who is not to pay his first quarter till halfe a year be expired, and then quarterly till the whole be paid.

15TH This day the Dep^{ty}. Gov^{r}. received a Warrant from the Hono^{ble}. Tho^{s}. Pitt Esq^{r}. for aresting the person of Mr. Edw^{d}. Bawgus and to secure him well in irons upon suspicion of being confederate with one Joseph La Baume a Frenchman who broke open a Chest of Treasure on board the Greyhound Sloope, the Treasure was delivered into the charge of Mr. Edw^{d}. Bawgus passenger on board said sloope from Madrass bound for this place, said Warrent was the same Inst. put in Execution.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

WEDNESDAY 15TH.

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEP^{TY}. GOVERNOUR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

The cash for the month of Aprill being kept open till the Midle of June by order of Consultation of the 11th of May Last past, and being closed the end of said month the acco^{ts}. thereof were produced for the months of Aprill May and June which are as entered after this months Consultations.

Rich^{d}. Andrewes a Likely Topass offering his Service ordered that he be entertained and a worse turned out of Captain Hugonin's Company.

Yesterday in the Evening arrived here a Chubdar from Dowd Cawn with a Dustick for clearing of all stops that were put to trade by the late Troubles, whereupon the Councill being summon'd, mett this day and both Setts of Merchants being sent for twas agreed that said Chubdar with his dustick be dispatched from hence towards Chellumbrum to morrow morning, from thence to Bongeepatam and from thence to Pollamcoat and Worriarpollam and so back to Trividee at all which Places he is to shew his Dustick to all Gov^{rs}. and others that are concerned in order to taking off the stop of Trade occasioned by the late Trouble.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICH. SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}.*

— *JULY 1702* —

This day came in here a ship belonging to Agmud Mercon from Porto Novo. 16TH.

Granted a Pass to Agmud Mercon for his ship burthen 40 Tons ... ... pags. 11 4
pass. 4 0
15 4

This day passed by here ship Danesbourg, Captain Meijor Commander, bound for Trincombar. 24TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR. MUNDAY 27TH.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVOR GAMES.

Mr. Bawgus haveing been accused by one Joseph La Baum a Frenchman and some black people of being privie to a Robbery of three thousand Pags. committed by said Joseph La Baum on the Greyhound sloop between this Place and Madrass and the Honoble. President haveing sent his Warrent for secureing the person of said Mr. Edw. Bawgus and sending him up in irons to Fort St. George, in order to take his tryall for the same. In Complyance whereunto the said Mr. Edw. Bawgus was taken into Custodie and putt in irons the 15th Inst. and did this day send in a petition Requesting the examination of the Master of the Sloop and others. Tis therefore ordered that Messrs. Mountague and Games Justices of Cuddalore do examin upon oath said Master of the Sloop and such other Persons as Mr. Bawgus shall desire. Mr. Bawgus his petition is as Coppied after this Consultation.

Trimall Raw and Shedash Raw two of the Principle Renters of the Rt. Honoble. Companys Bounds for this year haveing been very assisting in the Farming them out to the severall Farmers wherein they have taken much trouble, and the usuall Tashareife not being sufficient for them and the severall Sub-farmers, Tis therefore agreed that what first designed be given amoungst the Sub-farmers, and that to Creditt said Trimmall Raw and Shedash Raw for their Service in this matter there be given them to each 3 yds. of fine yellow broad Cloth.

Comrapa Chitte pays in accot. Rent of the Banksall for last year said to be in full twenty nine Pagodas.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

TO THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQ.
DEPTY. GOVR. OF FORT ST. DAVID
&CA. COUNCILL.

The Petition of Edward Bawgus,
Humbly Sheweth

That your Petitioner being inhumanly and barboursly aspersed and accused by Joseph La Baum a Frenchman who came by Passenger at the same time with your Petitioner on a Sloop called the Greyhound of which Muttapa was Pilot) for being accessory in a Robbery attempted by the said Joseph La Baume whereby your Petitioner is fallen under the greatest scandall and disgrace, besides is in

danger of his Life by the most unjust and wicked Practices and accusations urged by the said Joseph La Baume, your Petitioner does therefore humbly beg that you'd be pleased to order that due examination be taken of the Circumstances of the matter from the mouth of the said Pilot and such others as may be supposed to have heard severall passages Relating thereto by which your Petitioner hopes to make his Innocency appear, and as in Duty bound shall ever pray &c^{a}.

28TH. This day John Meeklesfeild one of the Gunroome Crew departed this Life and was buried the present Inst.

30TH. The Chubdar who bro^{t}. Dowd Cawns dustick for Clearing all goods that were stop'd and for ordering a free Trade as we had before according to Sallabad Returned yesterday from Trividee haveing been at the severall Places he was ordered to go to and shew said dustick. This Morning he was dispatched, being given him by our Merchants a Shawl value two Pag^{s}. and six rupees in money, he Carried the dustick with him.

This day dispatched a Generall Letter to the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. Councill of Madrass.

	The Rt. Honoble. Compas. Cash.	Dr. Pags.	fa.	ca.
Aprill 1	To Ballance brot. from last month ..	7408	17	—
6	To Manll. Gonsalvis &ca. Tobacco and Betle Renters Recd. accot. arrears due for last years Rent thereof sd. to be in full	87	12	—
9	To Ralph Ingram accot. goods sold out of ye. warehouse	440	—	—
	To Do. accot. Sea and Land Customes of Tevenapatam	27	5	—
	To Edm. Mountague accot. Tobacco and Betle for Cuddalore for two months.	120	32	4
	To Trevr. Games accot. his debt in ye. Generall Bookes	22	8	—
	To Robt. Cranwell Do.	22	8	—
16	To Woode Nargue Reddy and Eram Rause present renters of ye. Bounds Recd. in full for a quarters rent thereof	694	16	—
27	To Ralph Ingram accot. goods sold out of ye. warehouse	360	—	—
30	To Edm. Mountague accot. ye. Customes of Cuddalore	780	—	—
	To Ralph Ingram accot. sold out of ye. Warehouse	117	—	—
	To Do. accot. Sea and Land Customes of Tevenapatam	42	6	—
	To Richd. Farmer accot. Tobacco Betle and Ganjee at Tevenapatam from December to Aprill Inclusive ..	327	9	—
	To accot. Paddy recd. for [*sic*] spared ye. Peons &ca. Servants	400	—	—
	Carried over ...	10849	5	4

	Pr. Contra.	Cr. Pags.	fa.	ca.
Aprill 7th.	By Factrs. Provisions for 3 Ream papers bot.	6	—	—
9	By Richd. Farmer paymastr. to defray expenses	298	1	4
	By accot. Sallary as pr. ye. accot. perticulars amts. to	219	16	—
16	By Richd. Farmer accot. of ye. Storekeepers employ	100	—	—
18	By charges extraordinary given Shevela Conrah ye. watchman his Son as pr. Consultation ye. 16th Inst.	20	—	—
25	By Andee &ca. Washers accot. Cureing ye. Comps. Cloth	57	—	—
	By do. accot. ye. Madrass Merchants.	11	—	—
27	By Richd. Farmer Paymastr. to defray Expenses	1877	9	—
	By Do. for what gained by Exchange as pr. Contra Remaines in his hands.	335	4	2
	By Copper bot. to finish ye. 2 Boilars Candy pa. 2 at 65 pr. Candy	130	—	—
		3053	31	—
	By Ballance Carried to Next month ..	8419	29	1
	Carried over ..	11473	24	1

THE RT. HONOBLE. COMPAS. CASH—*cont.*

			Dr. Pags.	fa.	ca.
Brought over ..			10849	5	4
To Rents and Revenues for ye. following perticulars vizt.					
Accot. Coynag of pags. of wch. 46 pags. in 23 sealed papers for Esays in all ..	100	— —			
Do. of fanams 496 of wch. 140 in 14 seal'd papers for do. at 18 pr. pagoda.	27	20 —			
			127	20	3
To Rents and Revenues for ye. Compas. Moiety of weighing and measuring Duty for a year			61	29	4
To Profitt and Loss gained by ye. Exchange of pags. into fanams for Expenses in ye. Paymastrs employ being from Aprill 1699 to this day wch. as pr. ye. Expenses Bramanys accot. amounts to pags.			335	4	2
Pags. ..			11473	24	1 [*sic*]

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. JNO. HAYNES.

PER CONTRA—*cont.*

	Cr. Pags.	fa.	ca.
Brought over ..	11473	24	1
Pags. ..	11473	24	1

THE Rt. HONOBLE. COMPANYS CASH — Dr.

		Pags.	fa.	ca.
MAY ye. 1ST	To Ballance brot. from Last month ..	8419	29	1
	To Manll. Cordera &ca. County Arrack distillers recd. in part of a quarters Rent ending ulto. last month	85	—	—
30TH.	To Trevr. Games accot. Land Custome of Cuddalore	262	13	3
	To Ralph Ingra accot. Sea and Land Customes at Tevenapatam	29	6	—
	Pags. ..	8796	12	4

PR. CONTRA. — Cr.

		Pags,	fa.	ca.
MAY ye. 1	By Ri. Farmer Paymr. to defray Genll. Expenses	159	6	—
14	By accot. Paddy Imprest to Mockdum Nina at 15 pags. pr. Gears	500	—	—
26	By accot. currt. Fort St. George pd. Capt. Dixon accot. Ship Sarum	50	—	—
30	By Ri. Farmer Paymr. to defray Genll. Expenses	1491	19	3
		2200	25	3
	By Ballance Carried to Next Month ..	6595	23	1
	Pags. ..	8796	12	4

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. JNO. HAYNES.

THE Rt. HONOBLE. COMPANY CASH — Dr.

		Pags.	fa.	ca.
JUNE pro.	To Ballance brot. from Last month ..	6595	23	1
17	To Richd. Farmr. Storekeepr. recd. on yt. accot.	33	17	3
	To Manll. Cordera &ca. Country Arrack distillers wch. wth. ye. 25pa. allowed for Loss sustained by ye. Troubles is in full for a qrs. Rent	31	24	—
	To accot. Current Fort St. George for freight of goods pr. Ship Sarum ..	38	12	—
	To Edm. Mountague Sea Customr. of Cuddalore on that accot.	200	—	—
	To Do. for Revenues on Tobacco Betle Ganjee brot. to Cuddalore	227	31	4
	To Woode Nargue Ready & Eram Rause in part of s quarters rent of ye. Bounds ..	694	16	—
	Pags. ..	7821	16	2

PR. CONTRA — Cr.

		Pags.	fa.	ca.
JUNE 13	By Ri. Farmer paymr. to defray Genll. Expenses	150	—	—
26	By Andee &ca. Washers pd. Accot. ye Madrass Merchants Cloth	11	—	—
29	By Ri. Farmer to defray Genll. Expenses.	472	31	4
30	By Ditto	994	16	—
		1583	11	4
				[*sic*]
	By Ballance Carried to Next month ..	6238	4	4
	Pagodas ..	7821	16	2

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. JNO. HAYNES.

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ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

MUNDAY THE 3D.

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

The Deputy Governour read his accot. cash for the month of July which is as entered after this months Consultation.

Leonard Johnson and Will Tonison desiring their discharge it is granted them. Ramana our Chief Peon being lately dead whereby the Place is become vacant and the Family haveing possessed it for many years, except in the time of Mr. Fraser, and haveing been very faithfull therein, a younger Brother of the said Chief Peon lately deceased desireing to succeed therein and haveing a good Carrector [*sic*] of him tho' but young, we have thot. fitt haveing other Relations to assist him till he grows better acquainted with the Business that he act in said Post as provisionall Chiefe Peon till the arrivall of the Rt. Worpll. Gabrll. Roberts Esqr. who being appointed Deputy Governour of this Place by the Rt. Honoble. Company and now expected here in a few days when if approved by him &ca. Councill he may be confirmed in said employ. The Arrack Renters pay in accot. the last quarters rent of last year ending the last day of this month pags. seventy seaven.

JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry*.

4TH. This day a ship appearing in sight to the No.ward a note was sent off and in the Evening Answer was brot. twas ship Bencoolun from Madrass bound for the West Coast Captain Dixon Commander.

Do. Passed by an Armenian ship from Bengalla bound for Junckselone.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

MUNDAY 10TH

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOUR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. TREVR. GAMES.

Mr. Edm. Mountague Sea Customer of Cuddalore brings in and reads his accot. Sea Customes for the month of May, viz.

		Pags. fa. ca.
To Ballance of Last months accot.		847 21 2
Importations this month ..	102 8 4	
Exportations	109 32 —	
Anchorage	17 18 —	
		1229 22 4 [*sic*]
Custome Recd for Tobacco Betle and Ganjee this month.		112 1 4
		1189 9 4 [*sic*]
Servants Wages to be deducted.		3 27 —
Pags ..		1185 18 4

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.

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He likewise brings in his acco^{t}. Tobacco & Betle bro^{t}. into Cuddalore for the months of June and July the first amounting to pag^{s}. one hundred sixty three thirteen g^{t}. fanams and thirty four g^{t}. cash, the other amounting to pag^{s}. one hundred and fourteen sixteen g^{t}. fanams and ten g^{t}. cash. 10TH.

Mr. Farmer likewise brings in and Read his acco^{t}. of Betle and Tobacco bro^{t}. into Tevenapatam for the Months of May and June, the former amounting to pag^{s}. seaventy five thirty one fanams and one cash Madrass, The other amounting to pag^{s}. ninty eight and twelve fanams D^{o}. and pays in on said acco^{t}. Pag^{s}. one hundred seaventy four seaven fanams and one cash.

Mr. Trev^{r}. Games Land Customer of Cuddalore brings in and reads his acco^{ts}. thereof for the Month of July and pays in on that acco^{t}. pag^{s}. one hundred forty two twenty four fanams five cash the acco^{t}. is as follows:

Land Customer			Dr. Pags. fa. ca.	
To Ballance of last Months acco^{t}.			145 34 3	JULY YE. 31ST.
To acco^{t}. Land Custome this month	113 7 2			
To Rents and Revenues viz^{t}. Juncan.	33 35 3			
			147 6 5	
			293 5 2 [*sic*]	
Servants Wages to be deducted.			4 18 —	
	Pags ..		288 23 2	

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
P^{R}. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

Eram Rauze pays in acco^{t}. Rent of the Bounds being for Juncan for the Month of July last pag^{s}. fifty thirty three fanams one Cash. All the Sums paid in this day amounting to pag^{s}. three hundred sixty seaven twenty nine fanams one Cash was paid to the Paymaster to defray Gen^{ll}. Expences. 10TH.

William Tunis a Dutchman offering his Service as a soldier is entertained at Europeans pay in Captain Hugonins Company.

Charles Morphey having formerly deserted from Madrass is now Earnestly desireous of Returning to his Duty on a pardon which is now agreed shall be aent [*sic*] him Rather then that an Englishman should become a Vagaband.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREV^{R}. GAMES.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}*.

This day a Ship belonging to Agmud Mercon Sayled out of Cuddalore Road bound for Bengalla. 11TH.

— *AUGUST 1702* —

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

SATERDAY THE 15TH.

THE WORPLL. JNO. HAYNES ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICHD. FARMER. MR. ————————.

Mr. Ingram Warehousekeeper read his warehouse accot. for the month of July and pays in on that accot. pags. twenty seven twenty five fanams and three Cash. He likewise brot. in and Read his accot. of Sea and Land Customes of Tevenapatam for Do. Month and pays in on that accot. pags. eighty nine and seaventeen fanams, the accot. is as follows, viz.

JUNE THE 30TH	To Ballance Brot. from Last month		37 — 5
JULY 31ST.	To accot. Land Custome this month		29 11 1
	To Rents & Revenues vizd. Juncan	24 13 2	
	Oylemen Shopkeepr. & Shops ..	2 8 —	26 25 2 [*sic*]
	To Sea Customes vizd.		
	Imports and Anchorage	14 29 4	
	Exports	23 28 5	38 22 3
			131 19 5 [*sic*]
	Servants wages to be deducted ..		5 2 —
		Pags. —	128 17 5 [*sic*]

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. RALPH INGRAM.

15TH.

The above mentioned Sums amounting to Pags. one hundred and seaventeen six fanams and three Cash are paid to the Paymaster to defray Generall Expenses.

Mr. Richd. Farmer brot. in and read his Paymasters accot. for the months of May and June the accots. are as follow viz.

	Pags. fa. ca.
To charges Garrison	899 4 —
To accot. Peons & Servants Wages	499 14 —
To charges Generall	64 — 4
To charges extraordinary	6 9 2
To charges Merchandize	14 30 3
To charges Building	40 30 2
To charges Generall at Cuddalore	56 24 1
To charges Building Do.	48 9 2
	1629 14 2
To Ballance	1132 8 1
Pags. ..	2761 22 3
To charges Dyett	83 29 —
To Ballance	475 35 1
Pags. ..	559 28 1

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. RICHD. FARMER.

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	Pags.	fa.	ca.
To charges Garrison	886	28	=
To acco^{t}. Peons & Serv^{ts}. Wages	500	5	—
To charges Gen^{ll}.	57	20	2
To charges Extr^{y}.	10	—	—
To charges Merchandize	27	11	3
To charges Building	41	34	2
To charges Gen^{ll}. at Paddalore	55	13	4
To charges Building D^{o}.	28	6	5
	1807	29	4 [*sic*]
To Ballance	1013	24	3
Pag^{s}. ..	2625	18	1 [*sic*]
To charges Dyett	83	1	4
To Ballance	475	35	1
Pag^{s}. ..	559	—	5

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
P^{R}. RICH^{D}. FARMER.

Mr. Rich^{d}. Farmer also brings in the following acco^{ts}. of reall remaines in Aprill last past viz. the Storekeepers household Necessarys, Gun^{rs}. acco^{t}. Remaines, and the Gentlemans Arms his acco^{t}. Remaines, he also bro^{t}. in his Storekeepers acco^{ts}. for the months of May and June.

JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHARD FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICHARD SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}.*

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORP^{LL}. JN^{O}. HAYNES ESQ^{R}. DEP^{TY}. GOVERNOUR. SATTERDAY 22
MR. RALPH INGRAM. MR. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER. MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES.

Mr. Ed^{m}. Mountague bro^{t}. in and read his Sea Customers acco^{t}. for the month of July and pays in on that acco^{t}. pag^{s}. Seaven hundred the acco^{t}. is as follows viz.

SEA CUSTOMER

				Pags.	fa.	ca.
To Ballance of Last month acco^{t}.				1132	20	3
Importations this month	250	4	2			
Exportations	99	12	1			
Anchorage	14	18	—			
				363	34	3
To Customes Rec^{d}. for Tobacco &^{ca}.				163	27	2
				1660	10	2
Servants Wages to be deducted				3	27	—
Pag^{s}. ..				1656	19	2

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.

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He likewise pays in acco^{t}. Tobacco Betle and Ganjee bro^{t}. into Cuddalore pag^{s}. two hundred Seaventy eight twenty three fanams five cash.

Mr. Rich^{d}. Farmer Paymaa[s]ter bro^{t}. in and read his acco^{t}. thereof for the month of July viz.

To Charges Garrison	842	8	0
To acco^{t} Peons & Servts wages	393	14	—
To charges Generall	75	11	—
To charges Extraordry	11	15	—
To charges merchandize^{d}.	14	1	—
To charges Building	63	36	—
To charges Generall at Cuddalore	30	23	—
To charges Building	36	12	—
	1466	29	— [*sic*]
To Ballance	1188	4	—
Pag^{s}. ..	2654	34	— [*sic*]
To charges Dyett	96	25	—
To Ballance	475	35	—
Pag^{s}. ..	572	25	—

Errors Excepted.
P^{R}. Rich^{D}. Farmer.

He also bro^{t}. in and read his Storekeepers acco^{t}. for the month of July as likewise his acco^{t}. of Tobacco Betle and Ganjee bro^{t}. into Tevenapatam for D^{o}. Month.

Jn^{o}. Haynes.
Ralph Ingram.
Edm. Mountague.
Richard Farmer.
Trevor Games.

Rich^{D}. Skingle, *Sec^{ry}*.

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The Consultation and Diary of the Worp^ll^. Gabr^ll^. Reberts Esq^r^. Dep^ty^. Governour &c^a^. Council of Fort St. David. Being their Proceedings and Trnsactions for Affairs of the R^t^. Hon^ble^. English East India Company.

Commencing the 24th of August Ending [*sic*.]

Arrived here Ship Loyall Cooke from Fort St. George Cap^t^. Rich^d^. Boulton Comand^r^. on whome came the Worp^ll^. Gabr^ll^. Roberts Esq^r^. Dep^ty^. Governour of this Place. **24TH.**

This day the Worp^ll^. Gabr^ll^. Roberts Esq^r^. Dep^ty^. Governour of this Place, and his Lady &c^a^. came on shore who were Received with the usuall Complements and the Keys of the Garrison delivered to him which were returned. The Council and all the Comp^as^. servants being called together, the Dep^ty^. Governours Commission was read before them. **25TH.**

This day Jn^o^. Matram departed this life and was buried in the Evening. **D^o^.**

Came in here a Dutch ship called the Hasje from [*sic*] bound for [*sic*]. **26.**

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORP^LL^. GABR^LL^. ROBERTS ESQ^R^. DEP^TY^. GOVERNOUR. **MUNDAY 26.**

MR. JN^O^. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. ED^M^. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICH^D^. FARMER.
MR. TREVOR GAMES. MR. JOHN BERLU.

Mr. Haynes brought in and read his acco^t^. of the R^t^. Hono^ble^. Comp^as^. Cash and delivered it to the Worp^ll^. Gabr^ll^. Roberts Esq^r^. Dep^ty^. Governour, the ballance being pag^s^. four thousand three hundred Sixty nine four fanams and two Cash.

This day the Dep^ty^. Governours &c^a^. Instructions from the Hono^ble^. President and Councill of Madrass were read in Consultation, and are as entered after this Consultation.

Whereas a permission being given for keeping a Generall Table, it was this day agreed on in order to keep the R^t^. Hono^ble^. Comp^as^. Servants in due decorum, and from going abroad, and the care thereof is refered to the Dep^ty^. Governour pursuant to said Instructions.

Ordered that the Loyall Cooke be forthwith unladen.

GR. ROBERTS.
JN^O^. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^M^. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^D^. FARMER.
TREV^R^. GAMES.
JN^O^. BERLU.

RICH^D^. SKINGLE, *Sec^ry^*.

The President and Council of Fort St. George their Instructions to Gabr^ll^. Roberts Esq^r^. Dep^ty^. Governour of Fort St. David &c^a^. Councill.

Wee have in persuance of the R^t^. Hono^ble^. Companys order granted our Commission to Gabr^ll^. Roberts Esq^r^. for being Dep^ty^. Governour of Fort St. David, which he is to Publish upon his arrivall to all the Companys Servants Civill and Millitary, who we enjoyne and Command to observe the same, and Perticularly Recommend to your consideration the following heads, not doubting in the least

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but that you the Gentlemen of Councill who have long resided in the Place will throughly informe the new Dep^ty^. Governour the Present Circumstances of all the Companys Affairs and give your best assistance and advice for the future well being thereof, and this wee strictly require as an Incumbant [*sic*] Duty upon you.

1^st^. Wee recommend to you the care of the Investment of which the Company and the Government here have very much complained, and your Place is better Sittuated for the providing cloth than this. Yett considering the Price and goodness of ours here, have come out hitherto much cheaper than yours, which we hope by the future care of the now Dep^ty^. Governour twill be Effectually remedied. And whereas last year by the dearness of cotton which was from 18 to 20 Pag^s^. per candy and now at 14 as also by means of the many and great Contracts made by all European Nations, we were forced to advance 6 per cent, which we hope now the Merchants will abate, Cotton being 20 to 25 per cent cheaper, which doth now encourage us to order an Investment to be made in your Place for one hundred thousand Pag^s^. according to the List that comes herewith and to enable you to Contract for the same, We lade on this ship the Loyall Cooke thirty thousand Pag^s^. and other Stores as per Invoice and Bill of Lading inclosed, so desire you to hasten the same, that we may not want a good Cargoe for the January shipping. And we must not omitt to recommend to your care the well sorting, washing and Packing of all your Goods.

2d^ly^. Wee Recommend to you the encreasing and exact Collecting of the Comp^as^. Revenues, But lett it be in such manner as may rather encrease than decrease or drive away the Inhabitants.

3d^ly^. You are all very sencible of the great Losses and charges the Company have been at in these Parts, By means of the late Troubles, so that as a Help to regain the same, we must desire you to be very thrifty in all sorts of Expences, but not in such a manner as to be prejudiciall to the Companys Honour or Interest; and whereas the Generall Table was taken away in Mr. Frasers time, We leave it to your Prudence to revive the same or keep them at Dyett money, and if the former we doubt not but that the Dep^ty^. Governour will take a particular care that it be managed with all the good Husbandry immaginable, the monthly expences of which all included we order to be remitted hither in the Generall Letter.

4thly. Wee have sent you on this ship some silk worms (under the care of a Fellow from Bengall and two others that have been Instructed in this Place, their wages as per Paymasters List enclosed) of which we desire your utmost care and Industry to promote and incourage the makeing of silke, we doing the same here, and find no manner of obstruction but the want of mulberry trees, which wee are daily Planting, and hope notwithstanding the Barreness of our soile twill answer the end, and if so there can be no doubt twill be much easier effected in your Parts your soile being so much better. We have sent to Bengall for People to wind off the silke and shall send some of them to you as soone as they arrive.

5thly. Wee are very sencible of the ill accommodation the Company have for their Servants and more particularly at Cuddalore, which Place is of the greatest Consequence to them, and the Merchants chiefly Resideing there, and it being the Place of Trade in these Parts so thô we don't enjoyne the Dep^ty^. Governour to Reside there, Yett we desire that he will frequently visitt and Encourage the Inhabitants thereof. And whereas the Company have no Factory fitting for the Dep^ty^. Governour to live in it being so very much run to decay and out of Repaire and the Sittuation of it being so ill and inconvenient that we can't think it adviseable to be at the charge of fitting it up, but there is a house and good Ground of Mr. Haynes's, which stands very conveniently near the River and upon the highest ground in the town so that in time with some addition, it might be made a very convenient Cittadell there being a necessity of having one, the Town being for the most part of it well fortified, for which reason there must be as many or more of the Millitary kept at Cuddalore than Tevenapatam, so we leave it to you the Dep^ty^. Governour and Councill to treat with Mr. Haynes for his house and ground if you find it of service to the Company, and advise us thereof.

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6thly. Wee must not omitt Requesting your utmost endeavours in makeing your Barr navigable, and if possible the Drowning your grounds from a River adjacent thereto, which lyes convenient for it. Both which things we recommended to the Companys consideration by the last years shipping.

7thly. Wee must desire you to be very cautious how you give any just cause of quarrelling with the Government who are now grown to that pitch of Insolence in all India that they seek for pretentions to give us trouble in order to extort money from us.

8thly. Wee also desire a frequent Correspondence with you, and that nothing of Moment happens but that you give us early and speedy advices thereof.

9thly. Wee desire that it may be a standing order that the Warehousekeeper delivers in an acco^{t}. every month of what goods for Europe he has in the warehouse and that you remitt it us.

10thly. In our Generall Letter from the R^{t}. Hono^{ble} Company by Mr. Roberts we received the following clause Whatsoever goods, Merchandize, or Commoditys they or any others in the ship, bring to the Fort, they must pay you for our acco^{t}. ten per cent on the full value thereof. Besides freight, Custome and Incident charges, and must be accordingly deducted out of the Commission if belonging to any of the four and if to any others out of the amount of their goods which you are to observe and collect the Duty Mentioned therein upon all China goods which shall be landed out of the Loyall Cooke and return us an acco^{t}. thereof, that so we may remitt the same to the Company.

11thly. Wee desire you to load on the Loyall Cooke what Bales of the Companys are ready, and if not all washed you may pack up some ordinary brown long-cloth and Sallampores, and likewise send us all the goods belonging to our Merchants here and dispatch her to us with all Expedition.

12ly. The President complaines of your Injustice to the Elizabeth Briganteen, who being in distress landed her goods at your Port, for which you made them pay Custome thô good part of it shipped off againe, for which tis ordered that you returne the Custome to the President here Dated in Fort St. George this 12th August 1702.

THO^{S}. PITT.
GABRIELL ROBERTS.
THOS. WRIGHT.
M. EMPSON.
THOS. MARSHALL.
JOHN MEVERELL.

27TH. The Dep^{ty}. Governour went to Cuddalore to view the Place and there received a Generall Letter from the Hono^{ble}. President and Councill of Fort St. George dated the 24th Instant. He returned to the Fort again in the Evening.

28TH. Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Hono^{ble}. President and Councill of Madrass of this days date.

29TH. The Dutch ship sayled out of this Road.

30TH. This day General Marteen sent Mr. La Batt from Poolechery to congratulate the Dep^{ty}. Governours safe arrivall at this Place, who returned again in the Evening.

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The Rt. Hono.ble Comp.as Cash

		Dr. Pags.	fa.	ca.
July Primo	To Ballance brot. from Last month ..	6283	4	2
6th.	To Ralph Ingram accot. customs. of Tevenaptm.	37	—	5
	To accot. Paddy Recd. of Mr. Games Ballance of the 500 Pags. pd. him to buy Paddy	8	32	—
13th.	To Ralph Ingram accot. goods sold out of the warehouse	61	—	—
	To Trevr. Games acot. his Collections of Land Customes at Cuddalore ..	145	34	3
27th.	To Rents and Revenues Recd. of Comrapa Chitte Sd. to be in full for Rent of ye. Bancksalls at Cuddalore for Last Year	29	—	—
	Pag . ..	6519	35	4 [*sic*]

Pr. Contra

		Cr. Fans.	fa.	ca.
July 6th.	By Richd. Farmer Paymastr. to defray Expenses	45	32	5
11th.	By Ditto	100	—	—
13th.	By Ditto	206	34	3
15th.	By Andee &ca. Washrs. pd. on accot. Cureing ye. Compas. Cloth	120	—	—
	By Sunda Bollagee Vincate Ragovia &ca. pd. in Febry. Last to increase ye. quantity of Course Cloth to be Brot. in by them	1300	—	—
30th.	By Richd. Farmer paymastr. to defray Genll. Expenses	250	—	—
31st.	By Ditto	800	—	—
	Pags. ..	2822	31	2
	By Ballance Carried to next month ..	3697	4	2
		6519	35	4

Errors Excepted.
Pr. Jno. Haynes.

FORT ST. DAVID, 1702.

THE RT. HONBLE. COMPAS. CASH.

			Pags.	fa.	ca.
		DR.			
AUGST.	1	To Ballance brot. from Last month	3697	4	2
	3	To Manll. Cordera &ca. Arrack distillrs. account their Last quarters Rent ..	77	—	—
	7	To Manll. Gonsalvis &ca. Late Renters of ye. Bounds account their Debt	100	—	—
	10	To Richd. Farmer accot. Tobacco and betle brot into Tevenptm.	174	7	1
		To Trevr. Games accot. Land Custom of Cuddalore	142	24	5
		To Eram Rause for Rent of ye. bounds for Juncan for July Last	50	33	1
	15	To Ralph Ingram accot. goods Sold out of ye. warehouse	27	25	3
		To Do. for sea and Land Custome for Tevenapatam	89	17	—
		To Edm. Mountague accot. Sea Customes of Cuddalore	700	—	—
		To Do. for Tobacco & betle brot. into Do. for June and July last past	278	23	5
		Pags.	5337	27	5

PR. CONTRA.

			Pags.	fa.	ca.
		CR.			
AUGST.	7	By Ri: Farmer paymastr. to defray Genll. Expences	200	—	—
	10	By Ditto	367	29	1
	11	By Andee &ca. Washrs. accot. cureing ye. Compas. cloth	101	—	—
		By Ropes and Twine for 2 Candy coyes for Ropes at 3½ p. Candy	7	—	—
	15	By Ri: Farmer paymastr. to defray Genell. Expenses	117	6	3
	22	By Ditto	175	23	5
			968	23	3
	26	By Ballance dd. ys. day to ye. Worpll. Gabr. Roberts Esqr.	4369	4	2
		Pags.	5337	27	5

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. JNO. HAYNES.

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3D. This day Mr. Robert Pitt Mr. Richard Farmer, Captain Boulton went to Poolichery and Returned again in the Evening.

Do. This day arrived here the Deborah Briganteen from Fort St. George in company with another vessell. On the former came Madam Brabone for whome the Deptv. Governour sent of a Boat to bring her on shore, and Captain Davice on Horse back with Pallankeens to the Sea side. But she sent word she would not come on shore till the next morning, whereupon the like was then done again, but she defered her Comeing till the 5th Inst. when she came on shore.

7 Received a Generall Letter from Fort St. George dated the 3d. Inst.

9TH. This day Madam Brabone &ca. embarked on board the Deborah Briganteen for Anjango and had fifteen Guns given her at her going off.

11 This day came into Cuddalore Road a Dutch ship.

Do. This day two soldiers belonging to this Garrison with two seamen belonging to the Loyall Cooke runn away, and the next day we had advices of their being at Trivida whereupon a Sergeant with a small party of men on the 12th Inst. were sent after them. But the Governour of Trivida Refused to deliver them without promise of pardon.

FRYDAY THE 11TH. ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE, MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

Our Instructions from the Honoble. President and Councill of Fort St. George directing the Deptv. Governour and Councill of this Place to treat with Mr. Haynes about his house, and we being of oppinion it will make a most convenient Factory for the Company, the Deptv. Governour and Councill this day treated with Mr. Haynes about his house and Ground at Cuddalore and his damands for the same was two thousand Pagodas which is agreed to be represented to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of Madrass for their further order herein.

The Deptv. Governour reports that on the 31st last month he paid the Paymaster pags. one thousand to defray charges Garrison and Pags. one hundred and four to the washers the 10th Inst. which is approved of.

The Deptv. Governour read his accot. of the Rt. Honoble. Compas. Cash for part of August which is as entered after this months Consultations. The Ballance being Pags. 33369 : 4. fa. 2. ca.

The Deptv. Governour is desired to dispose of what Lead he can belonging to the Rt. Honoble. Company at the Best Price.

11TH. The Deptv. Governour acquainting the Councill that there is a quantity of Planck and Timber at Negapatam fitt for the use of this Garrison. Tis agreed that the following timbers and Plancks be bot. at the Cheapest Rate viz.

Plancks of 1½ Inch	200
Ditto of 3 and 4 Inch	50
Timber from 6 to 8 Inches thick and from 18 to 26 foot long	100

Bathol. Johnson one of the Gunroome Crew discharged to go to Pera on a ship of Captain Mackdum Ninas.

Jno. Edwards desireing to go to Madrass tis agreed that the Deptv. Governour do write about him in the next Generall Letter.

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Mr. Haynes desireing a bill of Exchange on the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of Madrass for Pags. one hundred forty two twenty six fanams four Cash tis Granted.

GABRLL. ROBERTS.
JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.
JNO. BERLU.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

About 4 a Clock in the afternoone Mr. Robert Pitt and Captain Richard Boulton embarked on board ship Loyall Cooke and were saluted at going off with 21 guns, About 7 a Clock in the Evening said ship sett sayle for Madrass and upon her dispatched a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of that Place, of this days date. 13TH.

Mr. JNO. Berlu a Member of Councill of this Place went to Trividee to bring back the four men who ran away the 11th. 14TH.

Mr. Berlu returned from Trividee and the four men with him. 15TH.

The Deborah Briganteen sett Sayle. 16TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION SATTERDAY THE 19TH.

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

Since last Consultation day the Deputy. Governour reports that he has paid the Paymaster Pags. two hundred to defray Generall Expenses which is approved.

Mr. Ralph Ingram Warehousekeeper brought in and read his accot. thereof for the month of August and paid into the Rt. Honoble. Companys Cash pags. three hundred fifty nine and twenty fanams accot. goods sold out of the Warehouse.

Mr. Ralph Ingram Sea and Land Customer of Tevenapatam read his accot. of the same and and [*sic*] paid in the Ballance of August Pgs. one hundred eighty six thirty four fanams and three cash which accot. is entered after this consultation.

Severall Englishmen desireing to be entertained in this Garrison tis agreed:

That Markes be entertained a Cooke in this Garrison, at five pags. per mensem and George Benfeild be entertained as Steward at five pags. per mensem.

The Merchants were this day summoned and after a long discourse with them about the Investment they made it their request to be united into one entire Joynt Stock whereby they say they can be able to provide better cloth then if continued in three setts which made them to raise the Prices one upon another in the Countrys and obliged 'em to take worser cloth for fear that others should buy it up. The consideration of which is refered to next Consultation.

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This day the merchants were summoned again in the afternoon, and after a long debate on severall Heads proposed to them about compleating the Contract, they desired a further time to consider about the same.

GABR^{LL}. ROBERTS.
JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREV^{R}. GAMES.
JN^{O}. BERLU.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}*.

SEA AND LAND CUSTOMER. DR.

JULY 31	To Ballance bro^{t}. from Last month				89 17 —	
AUGST. 31	To Land Customes for this month				7 25 1	
	To Rents and Revenues vizt.					
	Accot. Juncan Madrass pag^{s}.	16	6	4		
	Oyleman and Shopkeep . wth. Shrofes ..	2	14	—		
					18 20 4	
	To Sea Customes vizt.					
	Imports and Anchorage				165 26 4	
					281 17 3	
	Servants Wages and y^{e}. above ball : to be deducted ..				94 19 —	
				Pag^{s}.	186 34 3 [*sic*]	

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
P^{R}. RALPH INGRAM.

20TH. Granted 3 Passes to Captain Mockdum Nina for his ship and two Sloopes each twenty two Tons and the ship sixty tons burthen .. .. .. Pag^{s}. 28 32 —
The Passes .. .. Pag^{s}. 10 — —
Pag^{s}. 38 32 —

MONDAY THE 21ST.

ATT A CONSULTATION
Present

THE WORP^{LL}. GABR^{LL}. ROBERTS ESQ^{R}. DEP^{TY}. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JN^{O}. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER.
MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES. MR. JN^{O}. BERLU.

Mr. Mountague brought in his Sea Customers acco^{t}. for the month of July which is as followes viz.

SEA CUSTOMER. DR.

				Pags	Fa.	na.
To Ballance of Last months accot.				1212	—	—
To Importations this month	265	20	5			
Exportations	375	19	1			
Anchorage	34	18	—			
				675	22	—
Custome Recd. for Tobacco Betle & Ganjee this month				114	32	—
				2002	19	5 [*sic*]
Servants Wages to be deducted				3	27	7
			Pag^{s}.	1998	28	1 [*sic*]

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
P^{R}. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.

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21ST. The Dep^ty. Governor and Councill takeing into consideration the proposalls made by the Merchants Last Consultation for being united into one sett and after a long debate hereupon Tis our oppinion that uniting the three setts of Merchants into one Joynt Stock will be much more for the R^t. Hono^ble. Companys Intrest, all the Merchants themselves declareing in this present Consultation that they can if united provide better than when three or four severall Intrests or setts of Merchants send into the same Country to buy goods.

GABR^LL. ROBERTS.
JN^O. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^M. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^D. FARMER.
TREV^R. GAMES.
JN^O. BERLU.

RICH^D. SKINGLE, *Sec^ry.*

22 Received a Pacquet and a Generall Letter from the Hono^ble. President &c^a. dated the 15th Inst. with a Pacquet for Anjango. A List of the former Pacquet is as follows:

N^o. 1. Fort St. George Generall Letter dated the 15th Sept^r. 1702.
2. Coppie of sundery Paragraphs of the Companys Generall to Fort St. George dated the 6th of March 1702, relateing to Fort St. David and New Company.
3. Coppie of the Companys Generall to Fort St. George 13th. March 1701.
4. Coppie of D^o. dated the 12th January 1701–2.
5. Proposalls of Agreement between the two East India Companys.
6. Captain William Kidds Tryall made up apart and sent by the Peons.

23D. This day dispatched the Peons for Anjango.

D^o. This day one of the Renters of the R^t. Hono^ble. Companys Bounds was tashareift as usuall on the death of one of his Relations.

24 This day ship Cawdre alias Cuddalore Merchant, Sloop Labbadeen and Sloop Fort St. David sayled out of Cuddalore Road bound for Pera.

D^o. About eight a Clock this morning the Dep^ty. Governor ordered the Flagg to be Hoysted halfe mast high, and Guns to be fired to Sollemnize the Death of the King. And at three a Clock in the afternoone the Dep^ty. Governor attended with all the Gentlemen of Councill &c^a .as Likewise all the chiefe of the Inhabitants Proclaimed Princess Ann Queen of England &c^a. according to the form found in the Gazett at the Fort Gate Tevenapatam and Cuddalore.

26 Dispatched a letter to Mr. Cobb at Negapatam ordering him to bring some Planck and timbers for the Companys use.

ATT A CONSULTATION

MUNDAY THE 28TH.

Present

THE WORP^LL. GABR^LL. ROBERTS ESQ^R. DEP^TY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JN^O. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. ED^M. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICH^D. FARMER.
MR. TREV^R. GAMES. MR. JN^O. BERLU.

Persuant to an order in a Generall Letter received from the Hono^ble. President &c^a. Councill of Fort St. George dated the 15th inst. which directs Mr. Jn^o. Berlu to be reinstated in his former post of Sea and Land Customer and Scavanger of Tevenapatam, which posts at present are enjoyed by Mr. Ralph Ingram and Mr. Jn^o. Bulteell. The foresaid Letter also directs that since that post is ordered to be taken from him Mr. Ingram that he be supplied with something equivalent.

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Ordered that Mr. Jn°. Berlu be reinstated and take charge of Sea and Land Customes of Tevenapatam the beginning of next month.

Ordered that Mr. Ralph Ingram be reinststed in his former Employ of corn Meet^r. of Tevenapatam according to his own request, at present supplyed by Mr. Jn°. Bulteell.

Ordered that Mr. Jn°. Bulteell deliver an acco^t. thereof to the Dep^ty. Governour and Councill at the end of this month and deliver the cornmeeters [*sic*] place to Mr. Ralph Ingram and the Scavengers Place to Mr. Jn°. Berlu.

28TH. The Dep^ty. Governour reports that since last Consultation he hath paid the Washers one hundred and nine pag^s. acco^t. washing and cureing Cloth here and twenty theree pag^s. acco^t. the Madrass Merchants which is approved of.

A Generall Letter for Fort St. George was this day read in consultation, which was approved.

Mr. Mountague brought in his acco^t. of Tobacco Betle and Ganjee for Cuddalore for the month of August and pays in one hundred sixty four pag^s. twenty seaven fanams and five cash, being the amount of that months acco^ts.

He likewise pays in acco^t. Sea Customes of Cuddalore seaven hundred Pagodas.

Viabo Chitte &c^a. Cheife Merchants for Tevenapatam and Cuddalore this day appeared in Consultation and acquainted the Dep^ty. Governour and Councill that they were unanimously agreed in one entire Intrest, by which they promised to provide better Cloth for the R^t. Hono^ble. Company than when they were a separate Intrest, and that it would enable them to buy Cloth cheaper then when severall hands were employed in the Country. Which the Dep^ty. Governour and Councill Consented to.

The Merchants being present the Dep^ty. Governour and Councill proposed as formerly the makeing a new Contract for one hundred thousand Pag^s. which they said they would undertake and withdrew to consult about it, and being acquainted that it must be most part bro^t. in by the latter part of December next, to which they answered that they must have 9 per cent advanced upon the former Contract, and after a long debate desired till tomorrow to give their finall Answer.

28TH. Granted a bill of exchange to Padre Paulo de Saw on the Hono^ble. President &c^a. Councill of Fort St. George for three hundred pag^s. payable to Francisco Andrada.

Tis agreed that eight hundred sixty four pag^s. twenty seaven fanams and five cash be paid the paymaster to defray Generall Expences.

The Juncaneers were Tashareift which was approved of.

GABR^LL. ROBERTS.
JN°. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^M. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^D. FARMER.
TREV^R. GAMES.
JN°. BERLU.

RICH^D. SKINGLE, *Sec^ry.*

9TH. Came in here from Madrass an Armenian ship called the Shurenig Mr. King Master bound for Surratt.

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ATT A CONSULTATION

TWESDAY 29TH.

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

This Morning and afternoon both were taken up in discoursing the Merchants. And their terms being so unreasonable could come to no Resolution about the new Contract being much higher then the prices Last Year. Which we takeing into our Consideration and the Latenness of the Season, and the Prejudice it will be to the Rt. Honoble. Company if we don't provid[e] a good number of Bales for the February shipping tis agreed and the oppinion of the Deptv. Governour and Councill that if we could oblidg[e] the Merchants to bring in eight hundred Bales by the latter end of January next, to be ready for the February shipping to offer them the same prices as given in Last Years Contract. And the Merchants being called in and acquainted therewith they refused to accept the same and desired a further time to consider thereof.

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JNO. BERLU.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

THE RT. HONBLE. COMPANYS CASH.

		DR. Pags.	fa.	ca.
AUGST. 26	To Ballance Recd. this day of Mr. Jno. Haynes	4369	4	2
28	To Accot. Currt. Fort St. George Recd. pr. Ship Loyall Cooke	30000	—	—
	Pags.	34369	4	2

		CR. Pags.	fa.	ca.
AUGST. 31	By Richd. Farmer Paymastr. to defray Genll. Expenses	1000	—	—
do.	By Ballance Carried to Next Month ..	33369	4	2
	Pag.	34369	4	2

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. GABRLL. ROBERTS.

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ATT A CONSULTATION — THURSDAY THE 1ST.

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

The Merchants this day mett and after a long debate and very earnestly pressed by the Deptv. Governour and Councill they agreed to accept the same prices they had Last Year.

Agreed to tashareife the head Merchants to the same Amount as for Last Contract.

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JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.
JNO. BERLU.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry*.

Ann the daughter of Francis and Sarah Carter departed this life and was buried the 3d inst. — 2D.

Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill with a Generall for the Rt. Honoble. Company under a flying seall for the Honoble. &ca. &cas. Approbation a List of the Pacquet is as hereafter written. — 4TH.

Fort St. David Generall Letter to the Rt. Honoble. Company.
No. 1. List of the Rt. Honoble. Companys Servants.
2. List of the Millitary.
3. List of Mediciens.
4. List of Gunners Stores.
5. List of the Pacquet.

This day arrived here Mr. Cobb and Mr. Greenhough from Negapatam. — 6TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION — TWESDAY THE 6TH.

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

Ordered that what Bales are now ready the Warehousekeeper do load on board ship President Captain Thomas Greenhough commander.

This day the Fort St. David Joynt Stock Merchants being summoned came and finished their Contract Coppie whereof is entered after this Consultation, at the signeing and sealling of which they were Tashareift to the usuall amount and fifteen Guns fired at their goeing out of the Fort as accustomary.

Ordered that the Deptv. Governour do pay said Merchants thirty thousand pags. on part of said Contract.

Approved of the Deptv. Governours paying the Paymaster one thousand pags. on the 3d. inst, to defray Charges Garrison.

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Agreed that Vincate Kainah be confirmed Chief Dubash from the 1st of September at five pag^{s}. per mensem and that to encourage his diligence in the R^{t}. Hono^{ble}. Companys affairs he receive the same Tashareife as the Merchants as accustomary, with the rest of the Companys Black Servants.

GABR^{LL}. ROBERTS.
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RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREV^{R}. GAMES.
JN^{O}. BERLU.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}.*

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

made and contracted at Fort St. David this 6 day of October 1702 between the Worp^{ll}. Gabr^{ll}. Roberts Esq^{r}. Dep^{ty}. Governour &c^{a}. Councill of Fort St. David for Affairs and on behalfe of the R^{t}. Hono^{ble}. the Governour and Company of Merchants of London tradeing to the East Indias on the one part and the underwritten Merchants, Captain Mockdum Nina, Viabo Chittee, Verago Chitte, Eram Rauze, Gunnapatta Gungadaru Shankeria in behalfe of themselves and the rest of the three hundred Shears Joynt Stock Merchants of Fort St. David on the other part for all and every of them Joyntly and Severally in Manner following That is to say, the said Captain Mockdum Nina &c^{a}. above mentioned Merchants do contract promise and agree in behalfe of themselves &c^{a}. Parteners with the R^{t}. Hono^{ble}. Company for an Investment to the amount of one hundred thousand Pagodas to be brought in in severall sorts of Callicoes Quantitys Species Prices and Time as followeth:

L C O	..	Long Cloth Ordinary white No. 1 & 2: 72 covids long & 2¼ broad	10000 Pieces
		Ditto Blew	7000 „
		Ditto Brown	4000 „
		No. 1 at 34 pag^{s}. per corge Brown No. 2 at 32½ ditto.	
L C M	..	Long Cloth Midling 72 covids long & 2¼ broad ..	3000 „
		No. 1 at 42 pag^{s}. per corge Brown No. 2 at 39 ditto.	
L C F	..	Long Cloth fine 72 covids long & 2¼ broad	6000 „
		No. 1 at 74 pag^{s}. per corge Brown No. 2 at 69 ditto.	
SAL O	..	Sallampores Ordinary 32 covids long & 2¼ & 2⅛ broad.	15000 Pieces
		No. 1 at 15 pag^{s}. per corge Brown No. 2 at 14 ditto. No. 10 at 15 : 32 ⎫ of 2¼ covids broad to be sorted No. 11 at 14 : 29 ⎭ by ditto muster.	
SAL F	..	Sallampores fine to be sorted by the fine long cloth muster 32 covids long & 2¼ broad	3000 „
		No. 1 at 32 pag^{s}. 32 fanams per corge brown No. 2 at 30 „ 34 D^{o}.	
SAL M	..	Sallampores Midling to be sorted by the muster of the Midling Long Cloth 32 cov. long and 2¼ broad ..	4000 „
		No. 1 at 18 : 24 per corge brown No. 2 at 17 : 12 D^{o}.	
SUC	..	Succatoomes 40 covids long and 2⅛ broad	2000 „
		No. 1 at 70 pag$_{s}$. per corge brown No. 2 at 65 D^{o}.	

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BET ..	Bettalas 40 covids Long and 2⅛ broad	2000	Pieces
	No. 26 at 35 pag^{s}. per corge brown.		
	No. 25 at 33½ D^{o}.		
BET ..	Bettalas 50 covids long & 2⅛ broad to be sold by the		
	musters of 40 covids	3000	„
	No. 28 at 44 pag^{s}. per corge brown.		
	No. 27 at 42 D^{o}.		
OR. BET ..	Oringall Beettelas 32 covids long & 2⅛ broad ..	2000	„
	No. 1 at 70 pag^{s}. per corge brown.		
	No. 2 at 65 D^{o}.		
Po: BET ..	Podovett Bettelas 32 covids long & 2⅛ broad ..	1000	„
	No. 1 at 31 : ½ pag^{s}. per corge brown.		
	No. 2 at 30 D^{o}.		

Upon the above mentioned Prises of each sort of Goods said Merchants are to be allowed six per cent advance.

All which goods are to be delivered sorted & embaled in Fort St. David on or before the first day of June next which shall be in the year of our Lord 1703 whereof eight hundred Bales is to be bro^{t}. in sorted and embaled by the last of January next ensuing.

And the said Merchants do oblige themselves in case of fal[i]ure or noncomplyance to forfitt twenty five per cent to the R^{t}. Hono^{ble}. Company Excepting onely the Impediments which shall unavoidably arrise from Warr or the stopps made by the Country Government and the Dep^{ty}. Governour &c^{a}. Councill of Fort St. David in case any such stops shal be made do promise to use their endeavours for Clearing the same. But the Prisegs [*sic*] and Charges thereof is to be on the Merchants account as usuall, and for all the abovesaid goods the merchants are to pay 2½ per cent Land Custome and one per cent dustore as accustomary.

And the Dep^{ty}. Governor and Councill do promise to pay to the said merchants thirty thousand Pag^{s}. at or upon the signeing and Sealling of this Contract and when they shall bring in the value of ten thousand Pag^{s}. they shall be paid ten thousand Pag^{s}. more, and so progressively till the whole hundered thousand Pag^{s}. is paid.

And for the better carrieing on and performing this Contract the said Captain Mockdum Nina &c^{a}. three Hundered Shears Joynt Stock Merchants are obliged to make appear to have a stock of their own clear of all debts in money and goods to the amount of fifteen thousand Pagodas.

And its further agreed that what cloth shall be turned out, shall have a mark put on it by the Warehousekeeper and locked up in a Godown of the Fort. The merchants to have one key and the Dep^{ty}. Governor another to prevent its being brought in again.

And it is also agreed, that all the severall sorts of cloth to be brought in in this Investment shall be sorted by the Madrass muster now agreed on to which the R^{t}. Hono^{ble}. Companys & Merchants sealls are affixt.

And the said Captain Mockdum Nina &c^{a}. Merchants do promise and oblidg themselves that in case any controversey or dispute shall happen either amongst themselves or amongst any of the rest of the Joynt Stock Merchants relateing to this Contract, that then they shall apply themselves to the Dep^{ty}. Governour and Councill to whose determination they the said Merchants hall acquiesce, rest and remain satisfied. In Witness whereof the said Captain Mockdum Nina &c^{a}. Merchants have sett their hands and sealls to one of these Writtings and the Dep^{ty}. Gov^{r}.

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and Councill have sett their hands and the seall of the Rt. Honoble. Company to another Writting both of one Tennor and date. In Fort St. David the day and year above written.

Signed Sealed & delivered in the Presence of Us.

CAPT. MOCKDUM NINA L. S.
VIABO CHITTE ,,
VERAGO CHITTE ,,
ERAM RAUZE ,,
GUNNA PUTTE ,,
GUNGADRAU ,,
SHANKERIA ,,

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*
JNO. BRIDGES.

7TH. Dispatched ship President Captain Thomas Greenhough Commander with the Companys Bales and a Generall Letter for Fort St. George to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of this days date.

Do. Received a Generall Letter from Fort St. George dated the [*sic*].

9TH. This day [*sic*] Ross departed this Life and was buried the 10th inst.

MUNDAY 12TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE
MR. TREVR. GAMES.
MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. JNO. BERLU.

Mr. Ingram Warehousekeeper brought in and read his warehouse accot. for the month of September.

The Deptv. Governour read his accot. of the Rt. Honoble. Companys Cash for the month of September which is as entered after this months Consultations.

Approved of the Deptv. Governours paying the seaven cheif Merchants and Cheif Dubash one hundred and sixty Pagodas for their Tashareife according to order of Consultation of the 6th inst, instead of cloth, we having not sufficient for said use.

The old state Palankeen being worn out, and one being offered to Sale, Ivory and Tortisshell [*sic*] with the Furniture which is very strong and good, it is agreed that one hundred seaventy five Pags. be given for the same.

Eram Rauze pays in accot. Rent of the Bounds for Juncan for the months of August and September Pags. one hundered and one thirty fanams and two cash.

The Doctor brought in a Bill of Expences in the Physick Roome for the months of June, July and August and September amounting to Pagodas eight and eighteen fanams which the Paymaster is ordered to discharge.

Trimall Raw and Shedasha Raw pay into the Companys cash accot. a quarters rent of the Ground belonging to Tripopilore one hundered sixty six Pagodas and twenty four fanams.

Andevarraw Reddy pays in accot. a quarters Rent of the Towns Corriapade & Corriatte & Ground and Ground thereto belonging, sixty three Pags. and thirty two fanams.

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Ordered that the Accountant draw out an acco^{t}. of Sallary due to the Companys servants in this place.

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RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREV^{R}. GAMES.
JOHN BERLU.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{TY}.*

This day the new Contract for one hundred thousand Pag^{s}. was delivered the Merchants in presence of all the Councill. 15TH.

Received a Generall Letter from Fort St. George dated the 12th Inst. Answered this day. D^{O}.

This day received a Generall Letter from Fort St. George dated the 16th. Inst. 19TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION TWESDAY THE 20TH.

Present

THE WORP^{LL}. GABR^{LL}. ROBERTS ESQ^{R}. DEP^{TY}. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JN^{O}. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER.
MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES. MR. JOHN BERLU.

Corporall Ross being deceased ordered that Edward Williams be made Corporall in his Place.

Whereas in a letter from the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. Councill Dated the 16th Wee received a Bill of Exchange for two thousand Pagodas with permission to draw upon them for six or eight thousand pagodas more.

Ordered that a Bill of Exchange for five thousand Pagodas more be Given our Merchants drawn on the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. payable to Prola Chitte & Barhe Chitte.

Ordered that Mr. Pontenell be entertained as Corporall according to his seniorship, and that he have halfe a pagoda per month for looking after the horses.

GABR^{LL}. ROBERTS.
JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^{D}. FARMER.
TREV^{R}. GAMES.
JN^{O}. BERLU.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{TY}.*

Come in here a ship of Captain Mockdum Ninas which lost her passage to Perra. 21ST.

Arrived here ship President from Fort St. George Captain Thomas Greenhaugh Commander and bro^{t}. a Generall Letter from the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. dated the 18th inst. 23^{D}.

Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Hono^{ble}. President &c^{a}. of this days date. 24TH

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24TH. Granted two Bills of Exchange to our Merchants one for five thousand Pag^{s}. Payable to Chola Chitte and Batcha Chitte. The other for three thousand Pag^{s}. payable to Sunca Ramah.

FRIDAY THE 30TH. ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORP^{LL}. GABR^{LL}. ROBERTS ESQ^{R}. DEP^{TY}. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JN^{O}. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. ED^{M}. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICH^{D}. FARMER.
MR. TREV^{R}. GAMES. MR. JN^{O}. BERLU.

Mr. Bridges demanding his sallary from the year 1697 ordered that it be refered to Madrass.

Woode Naigue Reddy and Eram Rauze being called and asked why they did not pay their last quarters Rent for the R^{t}. Hono^{ble}. Companys Bounds alledged that during the five months Troubles Dow'd Cawn made they were great sufferers, particulars of their sufferings is viz^{t}.

	Chuckrums
Five months Loss of Juncan on the whole Bounds ...	600
D^{o}. Tripopilore Chandy Days	100
Loss on Dutys & Houses the Inhabitants running away ...	100
Loss on Paddy & other Grain which were forced to cut up on apprehension of Dow'd Cawns Comeing before it was ripe	650
Chuckrums ...	1450

And there being a Clause in their Cowle that in case of any Troubles from the Country Government wherein the Renters may be prejudiced said difference is to be decided by the Arbitration of four persons which the Renters being acquainted with they unanimously agreed to refer it to the determination of the Dep^{ty}. Governour and Councill. And we having taken the matter into our Consideration and after a debate thereon agreed to allow them viz^{t}.

	Chuckrums
Allowance on Juncan	500
On Tripopilore Chandy days	50
On Duty on Houses	50
On Paddy and Grain	250
Chuckrums ...	850

which at Eighteen fanams per Pagoda amounts to four hundered Seaventy two Pag^{s}. and Eight small fanams, which is agreed to be allow'd them Provided they pay the remainder, being two hundered twenty two Pagodas and Eight fanams by the Latter end of next month.

The Governour and Councill haveing received advice that Santa Craw is on the Edg[e] of our Bounds with two hundred men, and the Painters being before the Governour and Councill acquainted them that they were fearfull Santa Craw might have some evill designes upon them. Ordered that ten men from Tevenapatam Gate and ten from the Fort be sent to Tripopilore under the Command of Ensigne

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Kerr who is ordered to keep a diligent watch, and to permitt none to pass into the Bounds without acquainting the Dep^{ty}. Governour &c^{a}. Councill and of all things else Materiall and to keep his men in due decorum and order that they doe not affront the Country people.

Ordered that Sergeant Carter take care of the Guard at Tevenapatam Gate.

Ordered that the course cloth received per ship President be cutt out into coats for the soldiers about two yards and a halfe to each coate, and that they be faced with Blew Perpetuanoes.

Ordered that a months pay be paid the Peons in Paddy halfe to be accounted for this month and the other halfe next month.

GABR^{LL}. ROBERTS.
JN^{O}. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHARD FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.
JOHN BERLU.

RICH^{D}. SKINGLE, *Sec^{ry}*.

THE Rt. HONOBLE. COMPAS. CASH. — Dr.

			Pags.	fa.	ca.
Septembr.	1	To Ballance brot. from Last month.	33369	4	—
	12	To Accot. currt. Fort St. George for one Bill of Exchange Granted Mr. Jno. Haynes payable to the Honoble. Presidt.	142	26	—
	19	To Ralph Ingram accot. Goods sold out of the Warehouse	359	20	—
	Do.	To accot. his Sea and Land customes of Tevenapatam	186	34	—
	28	To accot. currt. Fort St. George for one Bill of Exchange granted Padre Paulo de Saw Payable to Francisco Andrada	300	—	—
	Do.	To Edm. Mountague accot. Tobacco Betle & Ganjee brot. into Cuddalore	764	27	—
		To Do. accot. Sea Customes	700	—	—
		Pag.	35223	5	— [*sic*]

PR: CONTRA. — Cr.

			Pags.	fa.	ca.
Septembr.	10	By Andee &ca Washers on accot. washg. and cureing ye. Rt. Honoble. Companys cloth	104	—	—
	17	By Richd. Farmer Paymastr. to defray Genll. Expences.	200	—	—
	26	By Andee &ca Washrs. on accot. washing & cureing ye. Rt. Honoble. Compa. cloth	109	—	—
	Do.	By Do. accot. cureing cloth belonging to the Madrass Marchants ..	23	—	—
	28	By Ri: Farmer paymastr. to defray Genll. Expenses	864	27	5
			1300	27	5
		By Ball: Carryed to next month ..	33922	13	3
			35223	5	2

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. GABRLL. ROBERTS.

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This day Santa Craw came in here with five Horse and fifteen Peons by permission. 1

About Eleaven a Clock Accule Naigue desireing leave to come into the Town with about twenty Peons on pretence of paying a Vissitt to Santa Craw, which he said he dare not doe out of the Bounds, But thinking it a pretence for Santa Craw to Bring all his people into our Bounds he was refused fearing there might be some Evill designe. Dº.

About two hours after came a considerable number of Rash Bootes Connicoplys & Braminys &cª. under a pretence of making a Sallam to Santa Craw and desired Leave to come into the Town, but for the reasons aforesaid were Refused Likewise.

This Evening Santa Craw came into the Fort with about ten Peons to Vissitt the Governour he staid about halfe an hour and then Returned. Dº.

ATT A CONSULTATION. WEDNESDAY. 4TH.

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JNº. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNº. BERLU.

Santa Craw Phousdar of Truekaloor & Tevenapatam Country Coming into our Bounds some days past and sending a message to the Deptv. Governour that he intended to pay him a vissitt this afternoon, and he having allways been a very good freind to the English and it being still in his Power to befreind us he having all the Juncans about the Bounds, tis thot. necessary to present him as follows: 4TH.

3 Yds Scarlett cloth.
2 Sword blades.
2 Bottles of Rose Wattr.
and some Flint Ware.

The Accomptant brought in an accot. Sallary due to the Rt. Honoble. Companys Servants due the 29th September last past which is ordered to be paid.

Tis agreed that what Europe Cloth can be spared out of the Godown be disposed of and that the Deptv. Governour do treat with any Merchants about the Price.

It being accustomary to Tashareif the Head Washers upon making a Contract, which being not yett done. Tis ordered that the Head Washers do receive the accustomary Tashareife, and that the Deptv. Governour do discourse them about sending for more washers into the Bounds we not haveing Sufficient to wash the Rt. Honoble. Companys Cloth and also to advance their Cooley here, in hopes that it may be a meanes to encourage new ones to come into the Bounds. The French and Dutch our Neighbours giving a better Price then we as also all particular Merchants here near twenty five per cent per Corge Long cloth ordinary more than the Rt. Honoble. Company.

Doctor Royer brot. in a bill of Expences in the Physick Roome amounting to Pags. 4 : fa. 9 : ca. 24. which the Paymaster is ordered to discharge.

GABRLL. ROBERTS.
JOHN HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHARD FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.
JOHN BERLU.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

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4TH. This day Santa Craw came to take leave of the Dep^ty. Gov^r. and received the Present ordered in Consultation.

D°. This day the Worriar of Worriar Pollams Ambassador came and paid the Dep^ty. Governour a vissitt and bro^t. with him Narsopa who he Recommended to be watchman of our Bounds.

6 This Evening received a Generall Letter from the Hono^ble. President &c^a. Councill of Fort St. George dated the 27th October.

9TH. Came in here a ship of Captain Mockdum Ninas who lost his passage to Perra.

13TH. Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Hono^ble. President &c^a. Councill of Madrass of this days date and List of the Pacquet, viz^t. :

No. 1. Fort St. david Generall Letter to Fort St. George.
2. Coppie of the Watchmans Cowle.
3. Draught of Cuddalore.
4. List of the Pacquet.

TWESDAY THE 17TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORP^LL. GABR^LL. ROBERTS ESQ^R. DEP^TY. GOV^R.
MR. JN^O. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. ED^M. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICH^D. FARMER.
MR. TREV^R. GAMES. MR. JN^O. BERLU.

Mr. Jn°. Bulteel Bro^t. in his acco^t. of the weighing and measuring Duty from September 1701 to September 1702 and pays in on that acco^t. Twenty one Pag^s. twenty six fanams and four Cash.

The Dep^ty. Governour read two Letters he had received one from Gungaram and the other from Santa Craw Complaining of a Moore man and his wife being stoped in our Bounds The Justices of the Choultry being acquainted therewith declared that they never ordered them to be stop'd nor had no reason nor pretence for so doing. Whereupon tis ordered that they be released.

We having received a Generall from the Hono^ble. President &c^a. Councill of Madrass which directs that the Cloth brought in over and above last years Contract, should be upon acco^t. of the new, which the accomptant now reports to amount to Nine thousand nine hundered and eighty six Pag^s. Eleven fanams and three Cash, Besides which the Merchants having brought in cloth, to the amount of above ten thousand pag^s. more, which by the order from Madrass entitules them to the next Payment of ten thousand Pag^s. more.

Ordered that the Dep^ty. Governour do pay the Joynt Stock Merchants the aforesaid ten thousand Pag^s. accordingly.

Mr. Farmer requesting to Lay down the Storekeepers Employ, haveing severall others upon his hands, and Mr. Bulteel haveing at present no other Business and being Capable to undertake the same, Ordered that Mr. Farmer bring in his Storekeepers acco^t. by the latter end of the month in order to deliver up said acco^t. and employ to Mr. Bulteel.

The Dep^ty. Governour read his acco^t. of the R^t. Hono^ble. Companys Cash for the month of October which is as entred after this months Consultations.

GABR^LL. ROBERTS.
JOHN HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHARD FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.
JOHN BERLU.

RICH^D. SKINGLE, *Sec^ry.*

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ATT A CONSULTATION

TUESDAY THE 24TH.

Present

THE WORP^LL. GABR^LL. ROBERTS ESQ^R. DEP^TY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JN^O. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. ED^M. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICH^D. FARMER.
MR. TREV^R. GAMES. MR. JN^O. BERLU.

Whereas Information being bro^t. to the Dep^ty. Governour and Councill by Govindah Rauze one of the R^t. Hono^ble. Companys Peons that Santa Craw comeing towards Cuddalore with forty eight Peons and four Horse, and in his way meeting with Narran Reddy, Renter, belonging to the Trividee Countrys was seized by said Santa Craw within our Bounds he having plac'd his Peons Round the Edg[e] of our Bounds stoping all People and goods that belong to the Trividee and Tevenapatam Renters for which reason the R^t. Hono^ble. Companys Renters are Hindered from bringing their conveniencys for fishing and drawing the Rivers and turning the Watter into our Bounds which may prove very prejudiciall to the R^t. Hono^ble. Companys Interest it being a violation of their Right, and may discourage the Renters undertaking to rent the Bounds next year and the said Santa Craw being now in Cuddalore Town, Tis tho^t. convenient and Ordered That Mr. Games and Mr. Berlu be desired to go to Cuddalore and direct Captain Hugonin to draw out Twenty men and atend them to Santa Craws house and to enquire into the Reasons of said abuses, and to desire him to restore the Person seized, and to make satisfaction for the goods he has taken from our Renters and upon Refusall thereof to confine him to his house with onely his domestick Servants.

TO CAPTAIN HUGONIN.

You are hereby ordered immediately to draw out Twenty men in a Readiness, and Your selfe to March with them and follow the direction of Mr. Games and Mr. Berlu. Dated in Fort St. David this 24th day of November 1702.

GABR^LL. ROBERTS.

The Dep^ty. Governour & Councill Treated with the Merchants about the Cloth and Cloth Rashes, The Companys Merchants bidding most for them than any others its Ordered that what can be spared be sold to them acco^t. the Investment. The Cloth at ninteen pag^s. per halfe piece and the Rashes at twelve and a halfe pagodas per piece to be accounted for as ready money and they to take it on acco^t. the Investment.

GABR^LL. ROBERTS.
JN^O. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
ED^M. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH^D. FARMER.
TREV^R. GAMES.
JN^O. BERLU.

RICH^D. SKINGLE. *Sec^ry.*

This day Santa Craw came before the Dep^ty. Governour Mr. Haynes and Mr. Berlu about the former Complaints and Narran Redder whome he took, and after some discourse the Dep^ty. Governour asked him whether he had any demands upon the abovesaid man. He answered no. The Dep^ty. Governour asked him whether he was willing to release him and whether it was with his approbation he should be Released. He answered Yes, So the man was sent with a Peon to Delal Cawn to whome he belonged, and about the Business of the Renters he said he would no way molest them in the R^t. Hono^ble. Companys Business, and the Painters business was Refered to Mr. Berlu Eram Rauze and the Cheif Dubash to deside. 27

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MUNDAY THE 30TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

Mr. Ralph Ingram brot. in and read his Sea and Land Customes accot. for the month of Septr. and pays in on that accot. one hundered and thirteen Pagodas Twenty two fanams and three cash, The accot. is as entered after this Consultation.

Mr. Ingram Warehousekeeper brot. in and read his accot. thereof for the month of October, and pays into the Rt. Honoble. Companys Cash on that accot. Ninty six pags. and thirty fanams.

Mr. Edm. Mountague brot. in and read his accot. of Tobacco Betle and Ganjee brot. into Cuddalore for the months of Septr. and October and pays in on that accot. three hundered twenty one pags. fourteen fanams and five cash. He likewise brot. in his Sea Customers accot. for the months of August & September, which accots. are as entered after this Consultation.

Paid the Paymaster five hundered sixty three Pags. three fanams and two cash to defray Generall Expences.

Read the Generall Letter from the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of Fort St. George dated the 17th November 1702.

Granted a bill of Exchange to Padre Paulo de Law dated the 25th Inst. for two hundered seaventy five pags. payable to Jno. Domingo de Mattos on the Honoble. President and Councill after three days sight.

Ordered that Thomas Tape be entertained in the Gunroome at Cuddalore.

The Town Connicoplys Place of Manjecoopang Tripopilore and Tevenapatam with the Ferry Boat and Bancksalls of Cuddalore Expiring this day and bills being affixt to signifie their being put up at outcry this day tis refer'd till the afternoon.

Manll. Gonsalvis the late Ferry Boat Renter makeing his Complaint to the Deptty. Governour &ca. that he was a great Looser by the late Troubles of Dow'd Cawn, tis agreed to deduct a third of his years Rent.

The Town Conicoplys Places of Tevenapatam Tripopilore and Manjecoopang being put up at outcry were lett to Bumpa Rauze he being the greatest bidder for seaventy five pags. which is pags. seaven more then lett for last year.

The Ferry Boat over Cuddalore River lett to Mr. Berlu for two years the present Boat for seaven pags. per annum which is more by pags. 19 than lett for last year and one hundred and twenty psgs. per annum if the Company will build a larger Boat.

The Bancksalls lett to Mr. Haynes for fifty one pags. for one year, not lett last year.

GABRLL. ROBERTS.
JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.
JNO. BERLU.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

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SEA AND LAND CUSTOMR. DR

					Pags.	fa.	ca.
SEPTEMR.	To accot. Land custome for this month				31	20	3
30TH.	To Rents and Revenues vizt.						
	Acco . Juncan	12	34	3			
	Oylemen Shopkeepr. wth. Shrofes ..	2	20	—			
					15	18	3
	To Sea Customs vizt.						
	Exports	47	13	2			
	Imports	19	14	1			
	Anchorage	1	—	—			
	Mupooleeturns 46 at 1½ qrt. each fa. ..	3	3	—			
					71	21	3 [*sic*]
					118	24	3
	Servants Wages to be deducted				5	2	—
					113	22	3

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. RALPH INGRAM.

SEA CUSTOMR. DR.

					Pags.	fa.	ca.
AUGUST.	To Ballance of Last months accot.				1937	18	—
	Importations this month	112	14	5			
	Exportations	26	7	—			
	Anchorage	22	18	—			
					361	3	5
	Custome Recd from Tobacco Belte & Ganjee ye. mo.				164	27	5
	Servants Wages to be deducted ..	3	27	—	2463	13	4
	By an Error in y . month of Aprill the ownrs of Mary and Elizabeth Briganteen being forced to Land some goods here by Reason y . vessell was Leakey, and not out of intent to sell them, the Custome is ordered by the Honble. Presid. & Councill of Madrass to be Returned, being ..	34	24	—			
					38	15	—
	Pags: ..				2424	34	4

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.

SEA CUSTOMRR. DR.

					Pags.	fa.	ca.
SEPTR.	To Ballance of Last months accot.				1442	32	2
	Importations this month	132	18	2			
	Exportations	206	28	—			
	Anchorage	31	18	—			
					370	28	2
	Custome Reced for Tobacco Betle &ca.				18	25	1
					1932	13	5 [*sic*
	Servants Wages to be deducted				3	27	—
	Pags. ..				1928	22	5

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE.

Dr. THE Rt. Honble. COMPANYS CASH. Cr.

			Pags.	fa.	ca.
[ ]					
Octobr.	ye. 1st.	To Ballance brought from Last month	33922	13	3
	12	To Eram Rauze for Rent of ye. Bounds for Juncan for Augst. & Sept. Last	101	30	2
	Do.	To Tunall Raw and Shedashs Raw accot. ye. Rent of ye Ground of Tripopilore & Revenues thereto belonging due ye. first Inst. ..	166	24	—
	Do.	To Andevaraw Reddy for y . three months Rent of ye. Town of Corrapade & Corracratte Coepang & ye. ground thereto belonging due the *first Inst.*	*63*	*32*	—
	13	To Shesawehella Pilla for three months Rent of Gunganap Coopang due ye. pmo. Inst	31	34	—
	20	To Paupa and Triconi Reddy for three months Rent of Witchmeer & Uplawad due ye. 3d. Inst	50	—	—
	Do.	To Lingars for three months Rent of Manjecoopang due ye. pmo. Inst. ..	11	24	—
	24	To Anamama for three month Rent of Chemiendulum & Bitterwray Nuttum & Sooregall putte, due ye. pr. Inst.	41	24	—
		To Accot. Currtt. Fort St George Recd of Pola Chittes Sunca Rama's Bill on him payable to ye. Deptty. Govr. & Councill	2000	—	—
		To Do. accot. Recd of Pola Chitte for wch. gave our Bill on ye. Honble. Presidt. &ca Councill payable to Sunca Rama for	3000	—	—
		To Do. acco . for our Bill on the Honoble. Presidt & Councill payable to Chola Chittee and Batcha Chitte accot. our Merchts	5000	—	—
		Pags ..	44420	1	5

PER CONTRA.

			Pags.	fa.	ca.
Octobr.	3	By Richd. Farmer Paymr. to defray Genell. Expenses	1000	—	—
	7	By accot. Presents for to buy ye. Seaven Chief Merchants and Cheif Dubash Chaines instead of cloth according to an ordr. of Consultation of ye. sixt Inst.	160	—	—
	12	By Factors. provisions for 12 Reams of paper bot. of the French at Pullicherry	24	—	—
	—	By acco . house necessarys for a Tortis Shell & Ivory Pallankeen very well Silver'd wth. new Velvet Bedd &ca	175	—	—
	—	By Fort St. David Joynt Stock Merchants Impress't to them for provision of goods on signing their Contract of y . sixt Inst. to y - amount of pags. 100000 on wch. accot. now paid	20000	—	—
	20	By Do. more Impressed to the Merchants on sd. accot. as by ordr. of Consultation of ye. 6 Inst. ..	5000	—	—
	27	By Do. paid by Bill on y . Honoble. Presidt. and Councill as pr. Contra accot. provision of Goods ..	5000	—	—
	d .	By accot. Genell. Stores paid Monsr. Cracow for 90 planck & 60 Timbrs. bought at Negapatam	115	5	—
	—	Ey Andee &ca. Washers on accot. washing & Cureing the Rt. Honoble. Compas. Cloth Old Contract ..	120	—	—
			31494	6	—
		By Ballance carried to next months accot.	12925	31	5 [*sic*]
		Pags. ..	44420	1	5

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ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. G. ROBERTS.

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Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Honoble. President &ca. Councill of Fort St. George of this days date. 3D.

ATT A CONSULTATION MUNDAY THE 7TH.

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPTY. GOVERNOUR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

The Rt. Honoble. Companys Joynt Stock Merchants appearing before the Deptty. Governour and Councill produced a List of Goods they had brot. in on the new Contract amounting to upwards of twenty four thousand Pags. with the ten thousand Pags. delivered over and above last years Contract entitules them as per their Contract to another payment of ten thousand Pags.

The Deptty. Governour read his accot. of the Rt. Honoble. Companys Cash for the month of November the Ballance being five thousand two hundered & four pags. twenty six fanams and four cash which is as entered after this months Consultations.

Ordered that the Deptty. Governour pay the Merchants five thousand pags. and that a bill of exchange be drawn on the Honoble. President and Councill of Madrass for five thousand pags. more payable to our Merchants or their order.

Whereas we have received an order from the Honoble. President &ca. to demand our watchman Shevall Perear from the Worriar of Worriar Pollam, who detains him as a prisoner, and to return back to him Narsopa who he recommended to be our watchman in his stead which we fear may give him some disgust and in Consideration that a great part of the Rt. Honoble. Companys Cloth is made and comes thro' his Country which if he should stop, would very much hinder and prejudice the Rt. Honoble. Companys investment, tis therefore thought convenient to send our Egibb Braminy Conapa to him with the following present; 7TH.

Six yds scarlet Cloth 1 ps. China damask 2 Sword Blades 2 bottles of Rose water Some flint ware.	}	Value of the present about 24 Pagodas.

This Present not sent.

Whereas the Deptty. Governour receiveing a very kind letter from Abdull Labby with a present of a Sarpaw, tis thot. convenient to return him a present again to engage him to continue his Freindship to the Rt. Honoble. Companys Affaires.

Six yards scarlett cloth Six yards yellow 2 ps. China silke 2 Sword Blades 1 Looking Glass A Jarr or two of sweetmeats 4 Bottles of Rose Water	}	Value of the present about 40 Pagodas.

G. ROBERTS.
RALPH INGRAM.
RICHARD FARMER.
JOHN BERLU.
JNO. HAYNES.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
TREVOR GAMES.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

Ensigne Michael Smythe departed this Life and was buried in the evening. 9TH.

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MUNDAY 14TH. ATT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

The Deputy Governor and Councill Complaining of the bad washing of the Rt. Honble. Compas. Cloth of this new Investment, for which reason they sent for all the Head washers and gave them a charge that for the future they took better care to have the Cloth well washed, who reply'd that the Rt. Honble. Compas. Rates was so low that they could not subsist thereon, and occasioned many of the washers to leave the Bounds and go to Porto Novo and Pullicherry where the rates where the rates [*sic*] are considerably more, which we taking into our consideration and finding that the want of washers very much detarded the Rt. Honble. Compas. Investment and hindering us cureing a good quantity of goods for the January shipping tis therefore thought convenient and tis hereby ordered to allow the following addition to their former rates of Cooley hire.

On Longcloth ordry.	2	gr t. fanams per corge.
Do. Midleing	2	
Do. fine	2	
Succatooms	1	
50 Covid Betteeles	1	

14TH. And that the Cooley washers may not be ignorant of this order nor imposed upon by the head washers tis ordered that the above rates be wrote in Jentus and Mallabars and pasted on boards to be hung up at all the washing Places within the Rt. Honble. Companys Bounds and advice hereof sent to Pullicherry and Porto Novo to encourage more washers resorting hither.

This day we concluded with the Joint Stock Merchants about the Europe cloth and tis agreed to lett them have what can be spared out of the Godown at the following rates on account the Investment, and to be accounted for as Ready Money:

	Pags.
Popping	.. at 19 per peice
Cloth Rashes	.. at 12½ „ „
Aurora	.. at 29 „ „
Redd	.. at 19 „ „

Ordered that the Warehousekeeper do deliver the Merchants the above goods when they demand them and bring in an account thereof by the next Consultation Day.

The Worriar of Worria Pollams Egibs having received their answer according to an order in our Generall Letter from Madras upon which they requesting leave to return to their Master Tis thought convenient to give them each 3 yds. of scarlett cloth.

Mr. Mountague pays in on account Sea Customes seven hundred Pags.

Ordered that the Town Conicoply be given the usuall Tashareefe.

The Doctors bill of Physick amounting to twelve pags. sixteen fanams, ordered that the Paymaster discharge the same.

G. ROBERTS.
JOHN HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICH. FARMER.
TREVOR GAMES.
JOHN BERLU.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

— *DECEMBER 1702* —

ATT A CONSULTATION — TUESDAY 15TH.

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

This day was Lay'd before us an account of what goods our Merchants have brought in, which being cast up at the Lower rates amounts to about thirty nine thousand Pags. and whereas we have received direction from the Honble President and Councill that the ten thousand Pags. over and above the last Contract should go, on account this new one, which together amounts to forty nine thousand pags. and the Merchants haveing received but fifty thousand Pags. and being directed from Madrass to allow the Merchants to be always twenty thousand pags. in arrears towards encouraging the more speedy bringing in the goods for this Investment, tis therefore thought absolutely necessary to draw a bill on the Honble. President and Councill for ten thousand Pags. more and to request leave in their next Generall Letter to draw upon them to such an amount as will keep the arrears of the Merchants within the verge of their orders not to exceed twenty thousand Pagodas.

G. ROBERTS.
JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.
JNO. BERLU.

RICHD. SKINGLE, *Secry.*

Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Honble. President &ca. Councill of Fort St. George of this days date. 15TH.

Arrived here the Vincates Parr from Fort St. George and brought two Generall Letters from the Honble. President &ca. 19TH.

ATT A CONSULTATION — MUNDAY 20TH.

Present

THE WORPLL. GABRLL. ROBERTS ESQR. DEPUTY GOVERNOR.
MR. JNO. HAYNES. MR. RALPH INGRAM.
MR. EDM. MOUNTAGUE. MR. RICHD. FARMER.
MR. TREVR. GAMES. MR. JNO. BERLU.

This day we sent for Pola Chitte, Coolapa Chitte and Quorundapa Chitte pursuant to an order received from the Honble. President and Councill of Madrass dated the 15th instant and demanded of them if they could supply us with five or six thousand Pags. to help carry on the Rt. Honble. Companys Investment here, but their answer was they had no money of Sunca Ramah or any other persons of Madrass in their hands, so we are necessitated to give our bills on the Honble. President &ca. Councill for ten thousand Pags. payable to our Merchants or their orders according to an order of Consultation of the 15th Inst. to enable them to provide a good quantity of Bales for the January shipping. The Merchants having already brought in more Cloth than they have received money for, notwithstanding we are ordered to lett them be in arrears twenty thousand Pagodas, and are dayly prest by the Honble. President &ca. to hasten our Investment, and a bill is now granted and signed.

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20TH. Read two Generall Letters from Fort St. George dated the 7th, and 15th. Inst. Received the 19th. by Vincateys Parr.

21ST. Mr. Ingram Warehousekeeper brought in and read his account thereof for the month of November.

Mr. Richard Farmer Paymaster brought in and read his accounts thereof for the months of August, September, and October which are as follows:

G. ROBERTS.
JNO. HAYNES.
RALPH INGRAM.
EDM. MOUNTAGUE.
RICHD. FARMER.
TREVR. GAMES.
JNO. BERLU.

RICHARD SKINGLE, *Secry*.

	Pags.	Fa.	ca.
AUGST.			
To charges Garrison	383	3	—
To accot Peons & Servants Wages	392	7	—
To charges Generall	64	1	5
To charges Extraordinary	7	35	3
To charges merchandize	14	10	—
To charges Building	77	33	3
To charges Generall at Cuddalore	28	17	1
To charges Building dº.	233	11	1
	1651	11	— [*sic*]
To Ballance	1315	25	—
	2967	—	—
To charges Dyett.	81	27	5
To Ballance	475	35	1
	557	27	—

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
PR. RICHD. FARMER.

SEPTEMBR.			
To charges Garrison	839	—	—
To accot. Peons and Servants Wages	420	28	—
To charges Generall	110	18	4
To charges Extraordinary	52	23	4
To charges Merchandize	31	33	2
To charges Generll. Stores	76	13	4
To charges Building	51	32	—
To charges Generall at Cuddalore	23	24	—
To charges Building Dº.	37	30	1
	1637	13	3 [*sic*]
To Ballance	394	7	5
Pags.	2031	21	2

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	Pags.	Fa.	ca.
To charges Dyett	84	31	4
To Gene[ll]. Stores for 12 Laqures of Arrack at 21 pag[s]. p[r]. Leagure	252	—	—
To Facto[rs]. provisions for one puntchin Beer.. ..	12	—	—
To Ballance	475	35	1
	824	30	5

OCTOB[R].

To charges Garrison	832	32	4
To acco[t]. Peons & Servants Wages	419	—	—
To charges Generall	92	22	—
To charges Extraordinary	8	4	2
To charges Merchandize	21	32	4
To charges Building	44	35	3
To charges Generall at Cuddalore	27	11	4
To charges Building D[o].	30	12	4
	1477	7	3
To Ballance	824	23	2
	2301	30	5
To charges Dyett	92	13	—
To Ballance	475	35	1
Pag.	568	12	1

ERRORS EXCEPTED.
P[R]. RICH[D]. FARMER.

Dispatched a Generall Letter to the Hon[ble]. President &c[a]. Councill of Fort St. George. 22[ND].

		Dr. [ ]		
Novem-ber.				
	To Ballance of Last months account	12925	31	—
12	To account curr^tt^. Fort St. George Received of Coolapa Chitte & Guorundapa Chitte Peretom —be tondowa Chitte Bill on them payable to the Dep^ty^. Gov^r^. and Councill for	1500	—	—
13	To Eram Rauze for rent of y^e^. Juncan of y^e^. Bounds for y^e^. month of October	50	33	—
	To Man^ll^. Cordera &ca Arrack distillers acco^t^. Last years Rent	64	24	—
	To Trivenderum Arrack distillers one quar^ts^. Rent due y . first Inst.	113	32	—
17	To acco^t^. weighing and Measureing Duty recd of Jn^o^. Bulteel one year due y^e^. ulto Sep^t^. last..	21	26	—
21	To Bumpa Rauze in full of a quar^trs^. Rent of the Town Conicoplys Place of Tripopilore & Manjiccopang due y^e^. ult^o^. Novemb^r^. 1701 ..	13	—	—
25	To acco^t^. Currt Fort St. George. Recd. of Padre Paulo de Saw for w^ch^. gave our Bill on on y^e^ Honoble Presid^t^. &ca. payable to Serg^t^. Joan Domingo de Mattos for	275	—	—
28	To D^o^. acco^t^. Recd. of Pola Chittee Sunca Ramas bill on him payable to the Dep^ty^. Gov^r^. and Councill for..	2000	—	—
30	To Ralph Ingram acco^t^. Sea and Land Custome of Tevenapatam for y^e^. month of Septmb^r^. ..	113	22	—
	To D^o^. acco . goods Sold out of y^e^. warehouse ..	96	30	—
	To Ed^m^. Mountague acco^t^. Tobacco & Betle for y^e^. months of Septmb^r^. & octob^r^.	321	14	—
	To D^o^. acco^t^. Rents and Revenues for y^e^. R^t^. Hono^ble^. Comp^as^. Bancksales at Cuddalore one year due y^s^. day	31	8	—
	Pag^s^.	17528	7	— [*sic*]

		Per Contra.	Cr.		
Novemb^r^.					
2	By Rich^d^. Farmer Paymast^r^. to defraying Gene^ll^. Expences	1000	—	—	
11	By freight for 90 Planck & Sixty Timb^rs^. from Negapatam	17	—	—	
	By D^o^. for 167 Bales to Madrass p^d^. y^e^. own^rs^. of Ship President	125	9	—	
12	By Andee &ca Wash^rs^. accot. washing the R^t^. Hono^ble^. Companys Cloth	90	—	—	
19	By Fort St. David Joynt Stock Merch^ts^. acco^t^. provision of goods as by ord^r^. of Consultation y . 17^th^. Ins^t^.	10000	—	—	
30	By Rich^d^. Farmer Paym^r^. to defray Genell. Expences	863	3	2	
	By acco^t^. Dyett expended at y^e^. Gene^ll^. Table from y^e^. 25^th^. Aug^st^. to y^e^. Last of Novemb^r^.	228	4	—	
		12323	16	2	
	By Ballance Carried to Next Month	5204	26	4	
	Pag^s^.	17528	7	—	

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Pr. G. Roberts.

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